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WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted, Etc., under these heads, four lines or under 25 cents for each insertion; and pro rata for more space or longer time.

WANTED—[illegible] good [illegible] for house furniture at once. Apply P.O. box 222, city. se16-tf

WANTED—To rent a house in a good locality containing three sitting rooms and five or six bedrooms. Address S. TIMES Office. sep16 3t

WANTED—A girl to do general housework in a small family. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Bone, Topaz Avenue, between the hours of 6 and 8 p.m. sep15-tf

WANTED—A competent person wants charge of a large ranch; understands cattle and sheep well. Best of references can be given. Address B. B. TIMES office. se13-3t

WANTED—A young girl of seventeen wishes a situation as under house maid or nurse in a small family. Apply at 170 Johnson street Victoria. sep13-1w

WANTED—A good driving horse; bay or black; sound and kind to handle. Apply at Fernwood Villa, Cadboro Bay Road, near end of Tramway. P. O. McGregor. se13-3t

WANTED—A nurse girl for the care of one child. Apply to Mrs. Croasdaile, Pemberton Road. sep13-3t

WANTED—Everybody to come and buy bargains at Hilbert's Boot and Shoe clearing sale, 74 Yates street. sep10-tf

WANTED—At once a nurse girl for small family. Apply, 3 St. Lawrence street, James Bay. aug12-tf

TO LET.

FOR RENT—In respectable neighborhood, small house and garden, $16.00 per month; furniture for sale. Apply by letter to P.O. box 169. se16-1w

TO LET—Three nice Furnished Rooms with breakfast if desired. Apply 111 Blanchard street. sept16-6t

TO RENT—Furnished rooms at 39 Quadra street, near Fort. se13-1w

TO LET—A story and a half house 7 rooms No 81 Discovery St. Apply on the premises between 7 and 8 p. m. or to Brackman and Ker, Government St. sep11-tf

TO LET—Furnished Apartments, first-class, suitable for housekeeping. Also double bedded room for two gentlemen. 63 Superior street. sep4-tf

TO LET—A furnished front Room on James Bay car line. Apply "A" this office. se2-tf

TO RENT—New five roomed Dwelling; bath room, hot and cold water, 3 lots Dallas Road. Apply Monteith & Milligan, 50 Government street. aug12-tf

TO LET.—After July 1st, the handsome residence Maplehurst, 153 Blanchard street, unfurnished. Apply C. W. Rhodes. ap18-tf

BOARD.

PERMANENT BOARDERS—A few Permanent Boarders can be accommodated at the Douglas House, corner of Gordon and Courtney streets at winter terms. sep5-1m

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LOST OR FOUND.

LOST—A small black and tan slut anybody returning same to Mrs. North 178 Johnson street will be suitably rewarded. sep16-3t

DOG LOST—Two year old Colley dog, silver plated collar, answers to name of Jack; has small scar on right eye. Reward for return to 61 Yates street. se16-2t

LOST—Left in passenger car E. & N. Ry on Saturday night, paper parcel containing memorandum book and documents. The finder will be rewarded upon leaving same at Room 6, Bank of B. C. Building. se16-2t

REWARD—$25 will be paid for the conviction of anyone removing without authority the sign of the RED CROSS from lands for sale by us or defacing our properties. Crane, McGregor & Boggs, brokers, 30 Broad St. au15

PHYSICIANS.

HOMŒPATHIC REMOVAL.
DR. J. HALL
Will leave his rooms on Pandora street on Monday, December 2nd, for the new brick block corner of Yates and Douglas streets, where he may be consulted at the usual hours, from 1 to 4 p.m., excepting Sundays and holidays. nov27

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TO INSURE—Your house at lowest rates call on Crane, McGregor & Boggs, agents Citizens. au13

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Real Estate and General Agent. Loans negotiated. Town and Country Property for sale. Office Government street Victoria. P.O. Box 50.

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THOMAS HOOPER,
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ARCHITECT.
Office, Craft & Norris Block, Douglas street. Plans and specifications furnished on the shortest notice. ap8tf

T. B. NORGATE,
ARCHITECT
and Mechanical Engineer. Drawings for Patent Office. Office, Moody's Block, 76 Yates street. Victoria B. C. m20tf

JNO. TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT,
Has removed to new offices corner of Broad street and Trounce avenue. fe20tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

QUEEN'S MARKET.
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A. & W. WILSON,
PLUMBERS AND FITTERS.
Bell Hangers and Tinsmiths. Dealers in best descriptions of Heating and Cooking Stoves, Ranges, etc. Shipping supplied at lowest rates. Broad street, Victoria, B. C. Telephone call [illegible].

SOCIETIES.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and [illegible] streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. [illegible]

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 120, G.R.S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street. Sojourning companions cordially invited. W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E. jel-ly

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. R. J. PLUMMER, K. of R. & S. oct9

ST. ANDREW'S & CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Yates streets, on the first Friday in every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join. J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.

SCAVENGERS.

PETER HANSEN
CITY SCAVENGER.
Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable.
Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets.
Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. jul8

JOHN DOHERTY
GENERAL SCAVENGER.
Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doughty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. aug22-ly

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NAUTICAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Water Front—General Marine News.

The steamer Etta White was launched from the Star ways last evening.

The bark Warlock is expected to sail for England to-morrow night.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz is expected in hourly from the north.

The steamer Sutter is due from San Francisco to load coal at Nanaimo.

The Walla Walla left for the south this morning with a big passenger list.

The Rithet arrived from Westminster this morning with a small dab of freight.

The schooners Adele and Mary Taylor will go sealing again as soon as crews can be obtained.

The heavy gear, such as boiler, shaft and funnel, for the new dredge, will soon be placed in position.

The steamer Rainbow left for Westminster this morning to bring down salmon for the Wanlock.

The old steamer Alexander has been well fitted up and will be quite an addition to the Victoria fleet.

Saturday last a collision occurred on the Sound between the steamers Skagit Chief and Fairhaven. Both were badly broken.

The sealer E. B. Marvin was hauled up to Ja[illegible]'s wharf this morning and commenced to discharge ballast preparatory to going on the ways.

The ship Mary L. Burrill has not yet obtained a charter. Freights offered have been refused by the owners, who claim that the price is not enough. In these days of close competition in cargo carrying the profits on freights are rather small.

The steamer Rithet which arrived about nine o'clock this morning from the Fraser was delayed greatly by fog. During the night she was off Moresby Island, and the steamer Islander was on the other side. Both boats whistling to each other and not much sleep was obtained by the passengers. At daylight a passenger from the Rithet was transferred to the Islander to take the northern trip.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

D. J. Munn of New Westminster is in the city.

Collector Milne is somewhat better, and was at his office for a while to-day.

Inspector of Inland Revenue, Mr. W. Gill, is confined to his home by an attack of rheumatism.

W. McDowell of the Colonist, F. Campbell, sr., of the Bulletin, and Sheriff McMillan were among the Islander's passengers for the north last evening.

Mrs. M. S. Story, the charming Seattle society lady who sang the part of Josephine last night, spent to-day in this city, leaving to-night by the City of Kingston.

Mrs. C. F. Treat, the wife of the Hon. C. F. Treat, mayor of Ballard, Wash., who sang Buttercup so charmingly, leaves Seattle for England on Thursday, 18th inst.

An immense assortment of Kensington Art Squares, all sizes, just received by John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

A REPORTER ARRESTED FOR LIBELLING PRINCE GEORGE.

A Subscription Taken up to Prosecute Him—Niagara Falls to be Utilized for Factory Purposes—Port Townsend Gamblers Raided by the Police.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A special to the Sun from Pittsburg says: George Westinghouse returned yesterday in his private car from Chicago, where he and Mr. Pullman had a conference of their street car and motor interest. Mr. Westinghouse states an arrangement between himself and Mr. Pullman has been completed for the erection of an immense street car plant. He intimated that it would be in Pittsburg as in Pullman. He stated that if any portion of the Westinghouse plant was removed to Pullman, it would be only the electric motor department. Cars will be built and equipped with motor and other necessary electric appliances at the same place, thus decreasing the cost and facilitating the completion of contracts.

Libelled the Prince.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A special to the Herald from Montreal says: Richard O'Brien the correspondent who is alleged to have sent out a slanderous report that Prince George of Wales had been mixed up in a fight in a disreputable quarter of the city and taken to police headquarters, was arrested last night on complaint of R. D. McGibbon, Q. C., vice chairman of the reception committee to the Prince, on a charge of criminal libel. A subscription has been started by citizens to prosecute O'Brien.

Will Tax the Falls.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Edward D. Adams, Chas. Lanier, D. O. Mills and Fred. W. Whitridge are the executive committee of a company formed in New York to utilize the power of the Falls of Niagara by construction of works for furnishing of motive power throughout the United States. Quite recently a Canadian syndicate has been formed to utilize the waters of the Canadian side of the Falls for use in the United States also. New York people, with a view to protecting themselves from pauper water of the Dominion, have sent to congress the following amendment, which they asked to be incorporated in the pending tariff bill: "Upon mechanical power intended for sale or for any commercial purpose and conveyed by canals, cable, tubes, tunnels or any application of air or water under pressure, or by any electrical means or device, $5 per horse power." It is unlikely the request will be granted.

Mexican Races.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The Herald's City of Mexico special says: Thousands of people, including the wealth and beauty of the city, were at Perolvillo races, where President Diaz was present this morning. The races were good for Mexico. A bull fight this morning attracted fully 10,000 people, and the bulls fought well. A kermesse was given this afternoon, the booths being presided over by society young ladies of the city.

No Information Received.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A World's Washington special says: It is said by the State Department that no official report was received in the Guatemalan mail yesterday from Minister Mizner respecting the Barrundia case, and so there is nothing officially known in the matter. Assistant Secretary Wharton expressed some surprise at the failure to receive an account of the recent stirring events in Central America, as it was confidently expected that the steamer which sailed from Guatemala after the attempted assassination of Mizner would bring news of the shooting, but the department is still without information on the subject.

For the First Time.

PORT TOWNSEND, Sept. 15.—For the first time in the memory of the oldest inhabitants the police of this city to-day raided the gambling houses. Nine dealers and two spectators were captured in four establishments visited. The aggregate fine collected amounted to $908.90.

A New Way to Carry Coal.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—Another departure from the conventional methods on this coast, but which has been in vogue for some time on the Atlantic seaboard, is the transportation of coal in barges, towed by tugboats. Yesterday there arrived here the steam tug Collis with a barge in tow from Tacoma, laden with 1000 tons of coal. The barge will discharge here and then proceed to San Luis Obispo, there to load bituminous rock for Tacoma.

Sarah Althea Again.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 15.—The Supreme Court has refused to grant the motion to dismiss the suit of Mrs. David Terry against Mrs. J. C. Franks. Suit was brought for $50,000 damages, which Mrs. Terry declared she sustained at hands of Franks when he, acting as United States Marshal, arrested her in January, 1889. It was at that time that Judge Field's decision, in regard to the Sharon case and alleged marriage contract, was delivered.

Boys, Revolver and Death.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Sept. 15.—A five o'clock this afternoon the 10-year old son of Engineer Chas. Beam, with a companion, came home from Sunday school and finding a revolver in a drawer Beam pointed it playfully at his companion. The latter begged him to desist, but the boy laughingly assured him it was not loaded, and to convince him, placed the revolver to his own throat and pulled the trigger. The The weapon exploded and killed him instantly, the ball passing out at the base of the brain.

Supposed to be Cholera.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A special to the Herald from Carrollton, Ohio, says: "No more deaths from epidemic have been reported from the eastern part of the county. The total number of deaths last week was 9, of which 7 were reported as typhoid fever, but as the victims were all buried on the day of their death by order of attendant physicians, it would seem that something more dread than fever [illegible] Dr. J. B. Williams, graduate of Bellevue Hospital Medical College, who attended the last victim, John Tool, says Tool had all the symptoms of cholera; cramps in arms and legs, large lumps on his legs, etc. His body began to stiffen before death. Dr. Williams last night telegraphed a description of all symptoms and facts to the state board of health at Columbus. The reply will settle all doubts in regard to the nature of the disease. Tool was working on his farm Friday. He hastened to his house and informed his wife he was very sick. He was almost instantly taken with intense spasms and fits of vomiting which lasted until a few minutes before his death.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

Railway Progress—Barrundar's Relatives Not to be Banished.

NEW YORK, Sept 16.—A Herald's City of Mexico special via Galveston says: The Cerdan valley railway has again put off its inauguration and El Nacionale calls upon the Government to interfere in the matter. The Inter-Ocean railway in progress of construction between Jalpa and Vera Cruz is progressing rapidly, and will be finished during the present year. The coming appointment of men from Salvador to Mexico is looked forward to with interest. The Guatemalan Minister, Senor Diagnez says it is untrue that his government has decided to order into exile Gen. Barrundar's daughter and her husband the only living relatives of the late general. Salvador and Guatemala are as yet free from revolution or disorder. It is reported, however, that lawless bands will soon rise in both countries, and reports of trouble brewing between Honduras and Salvador are becoming more accentuated daily. The Guatemalan Minister wishes it distinctly to be understood that Secretary of Legation Montufar goes to Paris on purely personal business. Gen. Fabia Moran, who is reported as having returned to San Francisco, is still in Guatemala and it is believed he will yet make trouble for Ezeta.

BARRUNDIA'S DEATH.

The Widow Claims That He is a Mexican Citizen.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A dispatch to the Herald from the city of Oxaca, Mexico, says: It is not at all improbable that Mexico will have something to say regarding the shooting of General Barrundia, if reports now being circulated are true. Senora De Barrundia, wife of the deceased general, leaves here for the Mexican capital to-night, to have an interview with President Diaz on the subject of her husband's death, and will claim the intervention of the Mexican Government for redress. It is stated here that Barrundia's widow carries with her to the City of Mexico certain papers belonging to her late husband, showing that the latter was, in 1887, admitted as a protege of Mexico, he having taken out Mexican naturalization papers. I called upon a prominent lawyer here, well vested in Mexican laws, and he said: "If Barrundia left any papers whereby it may be shown that he had declared his intention to become a Mexican citizen these papers entitled him to be a protege of Mexico during his probation period of 5 years. He would in such case be entitled to the full protection of the Mexican Government, which is bound to obtain redress for his death, unless it can be shown that he was seized or shot while committing some crime against Guatemalian laws. This latter, I understand cannot be shown by Guatemala. He says if Barrundia was really a protege of Mexico, I have no doubt that President Diaz's Government will seek simple reparation from Guatemala for the General's death.

A DEAL IN DELPHIC DIRT.

A Party of American Capitalists Who Intend to Buy Ancient Cit'es.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Mr. and Mrs. Hughes, of California, who have been guests of Leroy B. Cox, a nephew of Mrs Hughes, left yesterday for San Francisco. Mrs. Hughes is also a sister of Mrs. Leland Stanford, who with Senator Stanford has been traveling during the past summer in Norway, Sweden and Russia. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes have also returned from an extended tour through Europe, visiting Asia Minor and Egypt in their travels. They made many purchases for Senator Stanford, as well as for themselves. Among them was a fine collection of mummies picked up in Egypt.

Mr. Hughes, however, has a project in hand in which he is more deeply interested just at present, than in the purchase of mummies It is an extensive deal in real estate that will embody both interests of great intrinsic value and still greater historic interest. It will surpass anything that has been done in Chicago for a long time, to archiologists at least. It is nothing more nor less than the purchase of the ruins of the ancient Delphi, of the famous temple and oracle of Apollo, situated on the shores of the Corinthian gulf and overshadowed by the classic heights of Mount Parnassus. It can be bought for $80,000.

It is the intention to carry on excavations which, it is believed, will amply repay all investments. It is said that Mr. Hughes canvassed the matter among a number of leading citizens here and enlisted some of them in the enterprise. It is understood that Chas. D. Hutchison, ex-president of the board of trade, has pledged himself to raise $100,000.

Wisdom's Violet Cream.

Is a new and elegant preparation for eradicating and preventing roughness of the face and hands. Use it freely at night just before retiring and you will be delighted with a soft, smooth skin. Try it. D. E. Campbell, agent.

Fifty-eight pieces linoleums, latest designs in all widths and qualities, just arrived at John Weiler's.

NEWS BY CABLE.

GENERAL FERNON MAKES AN IMPOLITIC SPEECH.

The Czar Exempts Sons of Widows From Military Service—Trades Union Changes—Gladstone Delighted With "Starland"—Presented With a Lion.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—A very unfavorable impression has been created in Vienna and Berlin by a speech of General Fernon, of the French army, in which he declared Russia able to overcome the triple alliance in case of war. As the Austrian and German emperors meet on Wednesday in Selisia, the speech is regarded as most impolite, and that it tends to bind Austrian and German interests more closely together, and it will undoubtedly be a subject of discussion between the emperors. Preparations for the German army manœuvres in Selisia are on a grander scale than any heretofore held.

Advices from St. Petersburg state that the czar has given directions for the special exemption from conscription of all men who have widowed mothers dependent upon them.

The Russian manœuvres at Valhynia, in which one hundred and fifty thousand men are engaged, are now in progress. No foreigners have been invited to the spectacle, and strict watch is kept for strangers in disguise.

Leaders of trade unions are contemplating certain changes of importance. The idea of co-operating at general English docks, which is now taking practical shape, has advocates among dock directors themselves, while union officials are no less anxious to hit on some plan of working which will avert friction between companies and men, and tend to sift out the skulking and incompetent element. The edict that has just gone forth from the executive to admit no more new members to the London branches of the dockers union, is made in view of the union becoming a great employer of labor at the docks. In this new capacity it cannot be doubted that union authorities will find themselves under the necessity of dealing similarly with many of the present members.

Mr. Gladstone has made another happy bit, and probably started another book on the high road of success as he did in the case of Robert Elsmere, Marie Bashkirtzff's Diary, and other works, by giving the benefit of his especial notices. The author this time is Mr. Ball, the Irish astronomer, and the book is called "Starland." Mr. Gladstone writes Mr. Ball a cordial letter of thanks for a copy of the work, with which he declares himself delighted.

The scheme to construct a canal from Birmingham to the Mersey is being again considered, and it is said that capital is being offered in large amounts for the purpose.

The imports of English coal into Russia during 1889 amounted in value to $47,500,000, while thus far in 1890 they have amounted only to $2,000,000. The falling off is attributed partly to labor troubles, partly to increasing output of Russian mines.

A congress of German miners opened at Halle to-day with 39 delegates present. Though small in numbers the body is important in representatives, and its proceedings are expected to have widespread interest.

The Czar intends to remain a month in North Poland. He then proceeds to the Crimea.

The Sultan of Sokoto, who rules over twelve million people in West Africa, has presented his fellow-sovereign, Queen Victoria with a magnificent lion. The animal has arrived at Liverpool, and will probably be taken care of at the Zoo.

The Swiss Conspirators.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—The friends of the revolutionary leaders are pleading at Berne with the federal authorities for clemency towards the offenders. It is believed the appeal will be successful and that all concerned in the uprising will be pardoned. The general feeling is that the sooner the event is allowed to pass out of the public mind the better, and that the importance of the movement should be minimized as much as possible.

Stringency of the Money Market.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—The morning papers discuss a stringency in the New York money market at considerable length. Some of them suggest that the "Philadelphia club of manufactures" hold the issue of the crisis in their hands, the trouble being due to their demands for a return of equivalent money, which bought Harrison's election. This amicable insinuation is a fair sample of the way the American tariff question is discussed in the English press.

Looked Favorably Upon

OTTAWA, Sept. 16.—Sir Ambrose E. Shea had a long conference with the Government regarding getting the West India steamers to stop at the Bahamas Islands. It is probable, although no definite answer was given him, that this will be granted.

LAND PURCHASE BILL

Likely to Meet With Much Opposition When Submitted.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—Mr. Balfour, Chief Secretary for Ireland, is anxious to take Parnell at his latest word about the Irish land purchase bill, and has given directions for a most careful examination of his suggestion. It is not at all probable that a bill will be introduced in November precisely in the form of last session, and at present, indeed, it is an open question whether its operation may not be made in some way connected with a reform of local government in Ireland in a manner which Lord Salisbury's administration will certainly propose before the dissolution of parliament. But if this is done, it must be consonant with the intention of the Government that in any land purchase bill that shall be passed next session, while there is no real probability that their Irish local government bill will be passed, in any case provisions of an Irish land purchase bill will be made.

The Liberal party on assuming power will propose legislation to that effect in connection with the scheme of home rule, but by statesmen of both parties it is thought that from the circumstances of last session the Irish land purchase bill was never considered by the country, and that formidable opposition may very probably arise when this alienation of thirty-three million pounds sterling is the most prominent matter for political discussion.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

The walls of the Tiger fire hall are being rekalsomined.

The council chambers will not be ready for occupancy until next week.

There is no truth in the rumor that the Surrey dyke had given way.

16th century goods of all kinds to be seen at Lockhart & Co's, Douglas street.

All the fire hydrants were yesterday tested and found to be in first class order.

A. W. Presley, of Johnston's Landing, had his dwelling, store and stock destroyed by fire on Saturday.

Hilbert's boot and shoe stock at 74 Yates street must be sold regardless of cost. tf

A flower thief who is well connected has been caught, but will not be prosecuted, his relations saving him from disgrace.

The Pacific Asphalt Company are putting down a sidewalk in front of Gilmore & McCandless' store on Johnson street.

Oilcloths, linoleums and carpets at rock bottom prices. Lockhart & Co's, Douglas street.

Prof. Jas. Robinson lectured at Saanich last evening and left for Nanaimo this morning to speak at Comox and other farming centres.

If you want to get bargains in shoes, come while the stock is assorted at 74 Yates street. tf

The claimants in the Colquitz River case applied for an order of the court to force the city to notify the arbitrators appointed by the court to meet.

Don't fail to attend the clearing sale of boots and shoes at Hilbert's 74 Yates street. tf

A dispatch from New Westminster states that little or no interest was taken in the voting of by-laws yesterday the result being: Lulu Island reserve, 112 for, 25 against; loan appropriation, 114 for, 20 against.

Some of the latest novelties in the new lot of silverware just received by Lange & Co.

Dr. Walkem's daughter, aged about thirteen, died yesterday at Vancouver. The girl was a remarkably intelligent child and a great favorite with her acquaintances.

Sideboards and bedroom sets in all the new designs and finish at Lockhart & Co.'s, Douglas street.

One of the arc lights on View street gave forth no light last night. Its carbons were all right, and the current was on, but owing to the fact that a house which is being moved was left jammed against the pole, the mechanicism failed to work.

England's most popular summer drink is "Montserrat Pure Lime-Fruit Juice," which is now gaining the same favor here. Have you tried it?

A prisoner who is doing a month's hard labor in the police cells is engaged in cleaning and whitewashing the premises. The place looks the better for it.

See Lockhart & Co.'s Furniture, carpets, oilcloths and upholstery before purchasing elsewhere. It will pay you. Douglas street.

When in England the Hon. Edgar Dewdney, a contemporary says, will give two or three lectures on Manitoba and the Northwest as fitted for immigrants.

See Lockhart & Co's. fancy chairs in plush, finished in 16th century antique oak. Walnut, cherry, and all the latest colors and designs. The finest and cheapest in the city.

Mr. A. H. B. Macgowan, secretary of the B. C. Fruit Growers' Association writes that a meeting of the directors will be held at Chilliwhack on Thursday, 18th inst., at the time of the fair.

All goods at Lockhart & Co's are the latest designs. No old stock. New goods, new prices; cheaper than ever. Special prices for 30 days. Inspect before purchasing. Opposite Clarence Hotel, Douglas street.

At a meeting of the Victoria Tanning and Manufacturing Company held last evening the trustees decided on lots 4 and 5 Bay street, Rock Bay, as the site for their new building, for which tenders will be called immediately.

A loaded revolver, several drinks of whiskey, two toughs and a dispute produced a combination which led up to a shooting scrape at Seattle night before last, in which Charles Browne was fatally wounded by a man named Murphy.

The Brunette Sawmill Company of New Westminster, will put in a 240 light dynamo and complete electrical light plant to illuminate its fine mill. The intention is to have four arc lights, of 2,000 candle power each, and 200 incandescent lights of 16 candle power each, and the light will be in full operation inside of two months.

Fears are entertained at New Westminster for the safety of the ship Astoria, laden with rails for the Southern railway at that port. Thus far she has been out 206 days and nothing has been heard of her since the 29th of April last, when she put into the Faulkland Islands disabled. It is, however, not an unusual occurrence for ships to be out 200 days and then turn up.

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THE DESERTER

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CHAPTER XV.

"I'LL KILL THE FIRST MAN WHO DARES ENTER!"

Straight as an arrow Mr. Blake had sped across the parade, darted through the east gate, and, turning, had arrived breathless at the wooden porch of Hayne's quarters. Two bewildered looking members of the guard were at the door. Blake pushed his way through the little hall way and into a dimly lighted parlor, where a strange scene met his eyes; Lieut. Hayne lay senseless and white upon the lounge across the room; a young and pretty woman, singularly like him in feature and in the color of her abundant tresses, was kneeling beside him, chafing his hands, imploring him to speak—to look at her—unmindful of the fact that her feet were bare and that only a loose wrapper was thrown over her white night dress; Capt. Rayner was seated in a chair, deathly white and striving to stanch the blood that flowed from a deep gash in his temple and forehead; he seemed still stunned as by the force of the blow that had felled him, and Buxton, speechless with amaze and heaven only knows what other emotions, was glaring at a tall athletic stranger who, in stocking feet undershirt and trousers, held by three frightened looking soldiers and covered by the carbine of a fourth, was hurling defiance and denunciation at the commanding officer. A revolver lay upon the floor at the feet of a corporal of the guard, who was groaning in pain. A thin veil of powder smoke floated through the room. As Blake leaped in—his cavalry shoulder knots and helmet cords gleaming in the light—a flash of recognition shot into the stranger's eyes, and he curbed his fearful excitement and stopped short on his wrath.

"What devil's work is this?" demanded Blake, glaring intuitively at Buxton.

"These people resisted my guards and had to take the consequences," said Buxton, with surly—yet shaken—dignity.

"What were the guards doing here! What, in God's name, are you doing here?" demanded Blake, forgetful of all consideration of rank and command in the face of such evident catastrophe.

"I ordered them here—to enter and search."

A pause.

"Search what? what for?"

"For—a woman I had reason to believe he had brought out here from town."

"What? You infernal idiot? Why, she's his own sister, and this gentleman's wife!"

The silence broken only by the hard breathing of some of the excited men and a moaning cry of the woman, was for a moment intense.

"Isn't this Mr. Hurley?" asked Blake, suddenly, as though to make sure, and turning one instant from his furious glare at his superior officer. The stranger, still held, though no longer struggling, replied between his set teeth;

"Certainly. I've told him so."

"By heaven, Buxton, is there no limit to your asininity? What fearful work will you do next?"

"I'll arrest you, sir, if you speak another disrespectful word!" thundered Buxton, recovering consciousness that as commanding officer he could defend himself against Blake's assault.

"Do it and be—you know what I would say if a lady were not present. Do it if you think you can stand having this thing ventilated by the court. Pah! I can't waste words on you. Who's gone for the doctor? Here, you men, let go of Mr. Hurley now. Help me Mr. Hurley, please. Get your wife back to her room.

"Bring me some water, one of you." And with that he was bending over Hayne and unbuttoning the fatigue uniform in which he was still dressed. Another moment and the doctor had come in, and with him half the young officers of the garrison. Rayner was led away to his own quarters. Buxton, dazed and frightened now, ordered the guards back to their post, and stood pondering over the enormity of his blunder. No one spoke to him, or paid the faintest attention other than to elbow him out of the way, occasionally. The doctor never so much as noticed him. Blake had briefly recounted the catastrophe to those who first arrived, and as the story went from mouth to mouth it grew no better for Buxton. Once he turned short on Mr. Foster, and in aggrieved and sullen tone remarked:

"I thought you fellows in the Rifles said he had no relations."

"We weren't apt to be invited to meet them if he had; but I dont know that anybody was in position to know anything about it. What's that got to do with this affair, I'd like to hear?"

At last somebody took him home. Mrs. Waldron, meantime, had arrived and been admitted to Mrs. Hurley's room. The doctor refused to go to Capt. Rayner's even when a messenger came from Mrs. Rayner herself. He referred her to his assistant, Dr. Grimes. Hayne had regained consciousness, but was sorely shaken. He had been floored by a blow from the butt of a musket; but the report that he was shot proved happily untrue. His right hand still lay near the hilt of his light sword; there was little question that he had raised his weapon against a superior officer, and would have used it with telling effect.

Few people slept that night along officer's row. Never had Warrener heard of such excitement. Buxton knew not what to do. He paced the floor in agony of mind, for he well understood that there was no shirking the responsibility. From beginning to end he was the cause of the whole catastrophe. He had gone so far as to order his corporal to fire, and he knew it could be proved against him. Thank God, the perplexed corporal had shot high, and the other men, barring the one who had saved Rayner from a furious lunge of the lieutenant's sword, had used their weapons as gingerly and reluctantly as possible. At the very least, he knew, an investigation and fearful scandal must come of it. Night though it was, he sent for the acting adjutant and several of his brother captains, and, setting refreshments before them, besought their advice. He was still commanding officer de jure, but he had lost all stomach for its functions. He would have been glad to send for Blake and beg his pardon for submitting to his insubordinate and abusive language, if that course could have stopped inquiry; but he well knew that the whole thing would be noised abroad in less than no time.

At first he thought to give orders against the telegraph operator's sending any messages concerning the matter; but that would have been only a temporary hindrance: he could not control the instruments and operators in town, only three miles away. He almost wished he had been knocked down, shot or stabbed in the melee; but he had kept in the rear when the skirmish began, and Rayner and the corporal were the sufferers. They had been knocked "endwise" by Mr. Hurley's practised fists after Hayne was struck down by the corporal's musket. It was the universal sentiment among the officers of the —th as they scattered to their homes that Buxton had "wound himself up this time, anyhow;" and no one had any sympathy for him—not one. The very best light in which he could tell the story only showed the affair as a flagrant and inexcusable outrage.

Capt. Rayner, too, was in fearful plight. He had simply obeyed orders; but all the old story of his persecution of Hayne would now be revived; all men would see in his participation in the affair, only additional reason to adjudge him cruelly persistent in his hatred of the young officer, and, in view of the utter ruthlessness and wrong of this assault, would be more than ever confident of the falsity of his position in the original case. As he was slowly led up stairs to his room and his tearful wife and silent sister-in-law bathed and cleansed his wound, he saw with frightful clearness how the crush of circumstances was now upon him and his good name. Great heaven! how those words of Hayne's five years before rang, throbbed, burned, beat like trip hammers through his whirling brain! It seemed as though they followed him and his fortunes like a curse. He sat silent, stunned, awe stricken at the force of the calamity that had befallen him.

How could he ever induce an officer and a gentleman to believe that he was no instigator in this matter?—that it was all Buxton's doing, Buxton's low imagination that had conceived the possibility of such a crime on the part of Mr. Hayne, and Buxton's blundering, bull headed abuse of authority that had capped the fatal climax? It was some time before his wife could get him to speak at all. She was hysterically bemoaning the fate that had brought them into contact with such people, and from time to time giving vent to the comforting assertion that never had there been a cloud on their domestic or regimental sky until that wretch had been assigned to the Rifles. She knew from the hurried and guarded explanations of Dr. Grimes and one or two young officers who helped Rayner home that the fracas had occurred at Mr. Hayne's—that there had been a mistake for which her husband was not responsible, but that Capt. Buxton was entirely to blame. But her husband's ashen face told her a story of something far deeper; she knew that now he was involved in fearful trouble, and, whatever may have been her innermost thoughts, it was the first and irresistible impulse to throw all the blame upon her scapegoat.

Miss Travers, almost as pale and quite as silent as the captain, was busying herself in helping her sister; but she could with difficulty restrain her longing to bid her be silent. She, too, had endeavored to learn from her escort on their hurried homeward rush across the parade, what the nature of the disturbance had been. She, too, had suggested Clancy, but the officer by her side set his teeth as he replied that he wished it had been Clancy. She had heard, too, the message brought by a cavalry trumpeter from Mr. Blake. He wanted Captain Ray to come to Mr. Hayne's as soon as he had seen Mrs. Ray safely home, and would he please ask Mrs. Stannard to come with him at the same time? Why should Mr. Blake want Mrs. Stannard at Mr. Hayne's? She saw Mr. Foster run up and speak a few words to Mrs. Waldron and heard that lady reply, "Certainly; I will go with you now." What could it mean? At last, as she was returning to her sister's room after a moment's absence, she heard a question at which her heart still. It was Mrs. Rayner who asked:

"But the creature was there. was she not?"

The answer sounded more like a moan of anguish:

"The creature was his sister. It was her husband who"—

But, as Capt. Rayner buried his battered face in his hands at this juncture, the rest of the sentence was inaudible. Miss Travers had heard quite enough, however. She stood there one moment, appalled, dropped upon the floor the bandage she had been making, turned and sought her room, and was seen no more that night.

Over the day or two that followed this affair, the veil of silence may best be drawn, in order to give time for the sediment of truth to settle through the whirlpool of stories in violent circulation. The colonel came back on the first train after the adjournment of the court, and could hardly wait for that formality. Contrary to his custom of "sleeping on" a question, he was in his office within half an hour after his return to the post, and from that time until near tattoo was busily occupied taking the statements of the active participants in the affair. This was three days after its occurrence; and Capt. Rayner, though up and able to be about, had not left his quarters. Mrs. Rayner had abandoned her trip to the east, for the present at least.

Mr. Hayne still lay weak and prostrate in his darkened room, attended hourly by Dr. Pease, who feared brain fever, and nursed assiduously by Mrs. Hurley, for whom Mrs. Waldron, Mrs. Stannard, and many other ladies in the garrison could not do enough to content themselves. Mr. Hurley's wrist was badly sprained and in a sling; but the colonel went purposely to call upon him and to shake his other hand, and he begged to be permitted to see Mrs. Hurley, who came in pale and soft eyed, and with a gentle demeanor that touched the colonel more than he could tell. Her cheek flushed for a moment as he bent low over her hand, and told her how bitterly he regretted that his absence from the post had resulted in so grievous an experience; it was not the welcome he and his regiment would have given her had they known of their intended visit. To Mr. Hurley he briefly said that he need not fear but that full justice would be meted out to the instigator or instigators of the assault; but as a something to make partial amends for their suffering, he said that nothing now could check the turn of the tide in their brother's favor. All the cavalry officers except Buxton, all the infantry officers except Rayner, had already been to call upon him since the night of the occurrence, and had striven to show how distressed they were over the outrageous blunders of their temporary commander.

Buxton had written a note expressive of a desire to see him and "explain," but was informed that explanations from him simply aggravated the injury; and Rayner, crushed and humiliated, was fairly in hiding in his room, too sick at heart to want to see anybody, and waiting for the action of the authorities in the confident expectation that nothing less than court martial and disgrace would be his share of the outcome. He would gladly have resigned and gone at once, but that would have been resigning under virtual charges; he had to stay, and his wife had to stay with him, and Nellie with her. By this time Nellie Travers did not want to go. She had but one thought now—to make amends to Mr. Hayne for the wrong her thoughts had done him. It was time for Mr. Van Antwerp to come to the wide west and look after his interests, but Mrs. Rayner had ceased to urge, while he continued to implore her to bring Nellie east at once. Almost any man as rich and independent as Steven Van Antwerp would have gone to the scene and settled matters for himself. Singularly enough, this one solution of the problem seemed never to occur to him as feasible.

Meantime the colonel had patiently unraveled the threads and had brought to light the whole truth and nothing but the truth. It made a singularly simple story, after all; but that was so much the worse for Buxton. The only near relation Mr. Hayne had in the world was this one young sister, who six years before had married a manly, energetic fellow, a civil engineer in the employ of an eastern railway. During Hayne's "mountain station" exile Hurley had brought his wife to Denver, where far better prospects awaited him. He won promotion in his profession, and was now one of the principal engineers employed by a road running new lines through the Colorado Rockies. Journeying to Salt Lake, he came around by way of Warrener, so that his wife and he might have a look at the brother they had not seen in years. Their train was due there early in the afternoon, but was blocked by drifts and did not reach the station until late that night. There they found a note from him begging them to take a carriage they would find waiting for them and come right out and spend the night at his quarters; he would send them back in abundant time to catch the westward train in the morning. He could not come in, because that involved the necessity of asking his captain's permission, and they knew his relations with that captain.

It was her shadow Buxton had seen on the window screen; and as none of Buxton's acquaintance had ever mentioned that Hayne had any relations, and as Hayne, in fact, had had no one for years to talk to about his personal affairs, nobody but himself and the telegraph operator at the post really knew of their sudden visit. Buxton, being an unmitigated cad, had put the worst interpretation on his discovery, and in his eagerness to clinch the evidence of conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman upon Mr. Hayne, had taken no wise head into his confidence. Never dreaming that the shadow could be that of a blood relation, never doubting that a fair, frail companion from the frontier town was the explanation of Mr. Hayne's preference for that out of the way house and late hours, he stated his discovery to Rayner as a positive fact, going so far as to say that his sentries had recognized her as she drove away in the carriage. If he had not been an ass as well as a cad, he would have interviewed the driver of the carriage; but he had jumped at his theory, and his sudden elevation to the command of the post gave him opportunity to carry out his virtuous determination that no such goings on should disgrace his administration.

He gave instructions to certain soldier clerks and "daily duty" men employed in the quartermaster, commissary and ordnance offices along Prairie avenue to keep their eyes open and let him know of any visitors coming out of Hayne's by night, and if a lady came in a carriage he was to be called at once. Mr. Hurley promised that on their return from Salt Lake they would come back by way of Warrener and spend two days with Hayne, since only an hour or two had they enjoyed of his company on their way west; and the very day that the officers went off to the court came the telegram saying the Hurleys would arrive that evening. Hayne had already talked over their prospective visit with Maj. Waldron, and the latter had told his wife; but all intercourses of a friendly character was at an end between them and the Rayners and Buxtons; there were no more gossipy chats among the ladies. Indeed, it so happened that only to one or two people had Mrs. Waldron had time to mention that Mr. Hayne's sister was coming, and neither the Rayners nor Buxtons had heard of it; neither had Nellie Travers, for it was after the evening of her last visit that Mrs. Waldron was told.

Hayne ran with his telegram to the major, and the latter had introduced himself and Maj. Stannard to Mrs. Hurley, when after a weary wait of some hours, the train arrived. Blake, too, was there, on the lookout for some friends, and he was presented to Mr. Hurley while her husband was attending to some matters about the baggage. The train went on eastward, carrying the field officers with it. Blake had to go with his friend back to the post, and Mr. and Mrs. Hurley, after the former had attended to some business and seen some railway associates of his at the hotel, took the carriage they had had before and drove out to the garrison, where Private Schweinkopf saw the lady rapturously welcomed by Lieut. Hayne and escorted into the house, while Mr. Hurley remained settling with the driver out in the darkness. It was not long before the commanding officer protem, was called from the hop room, where the dance was going on delightfully, and notified that the mysterious visitor had again appeared, with evident intention of spending the night, as the carriage had returned to town.

"Why, certainly," reasoned Buxton. "It's the very night he would choose, since everybody will be at the hop; no one will be apt to interfere, and everybody will be unusually drowsy and less inclined to take notice in the morning." Here was ample opportunity, for a brilliant stroke of work. He would first satisfy himself she was there, then surround the house with sentries so that she could not escape, while he, with the officer of the day and the corporal of the guard, entered the house and confronted him and her. That would wind up Mr. Hayne's career beyond question; nothing short of dismissal would result. Over he went, full of his project, listened at Hayne's like the eavesdropping sneak he was, saw again the shadow of the graceful form and heard the silvery, happy laugh, and then it was he sent for Rayner. It was near midnight when he led his forces to the attack. A light was now burning in the second story, which he thought must be Sam's; but the lights had been turned low in the parlor and the occupants had disappeared from sight and hearing. By inquiry he had ascertained that Hayne's bedroom was just back of the parlor.

A man was stationed at the back door, others at the sides, with orders to arrest any one who attempted to escape; then softly he stepped to the front door telling Rayner to follow him, and the corporal of the guard to follow both. To his surprise, the door was unlocked, and a light was burning in the hall. Never knocking, he stepped in, marched through the hall into the parlor, which was empty, and, signaling "Come on" to his followers, crossed the parlor and seized the knob of the bedroom door. It was locked. Rayner, looking white and worried, stood just behind him, and the corporal but a step farther back. Before Buxton could knock and demand admission, which was his intention, quick foot steps came flying down the stairs from the second story and the trio wheeled about in surprise to find Mr. Hayne, dressed in his fatigue uniform, standing at the threshold and staring at them with mingled astonishment, incredulity and indignation. A sudden light seemed to dawn upon him as he glanced from one to the other. With a leap like a cat he threw himself upon Buxton, hurled him back, and stood at the closed door confronting them with blazing eyes and clinching fists.

"Open that door, sir!" cried Buxton. "You have a woman hidden there. Open, or stand aside."

"You hounds! I'll kill the first man who dares enter!" was the furious answer; and Hayne had snatched from the wall his long infantry sword and flashed the blade in the lamplight. Rayner made a step forward, half irresolute Hayne leaped at him like a tiger. "Fire! Quick," shouted Buxton, in wild excitement. Bang! went the carbine, and the bullet crashed through the plaster overhead, and, seeing the gleaming steel at his superior's throat, the corporal had sent the heavy butt crashing upon the lieutenant's skull only just in time; there would have been murder in another second. The next instant he was standing on his own head in the corner, seeing a multitude of twinkling, whirling stars, from the midst of which Capt. Rayner was reeling backward over a chair and a number of soldiers were rushing upon a powerful picture of furious manhood—a stranger in shirt sleeves, who had leaped from the bedroom.

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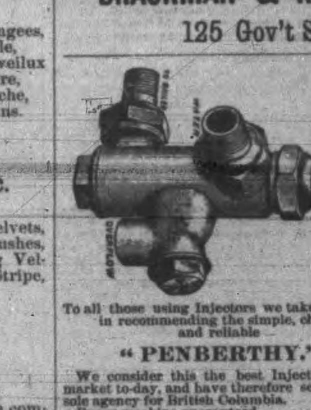

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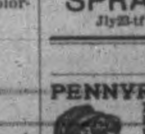

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STOCKHOLM, Sept. 14.—The body of Captain John Ericsson was landed from the United States steamship Baltimore this afternoon. The transfer was made with much ceremony. The reception committee, which included three officers of the navy and four nephews of the deceased, met on board the Baltimore at 1.30 p.m.

Speeches were made by Captain Sebley, of the Baltimore, in delivering the body to the American minister; by the latter in consigning the body to Admiral Pegrom, and by the admiral in accepting its charge. The remains were then transferred to a steam barge, draped in black and silver, which was commanded by a captain of the Swedish navy.

When the funeral barge arrived at the landing stage the governor of Stockholm formally received the body, which was then borne by American sailors to a large pavilion, handsomely decorated in black and gold, which had been erected near the water's edge in the park. While the body was being carried to the pavilion bells were tolled. An immense crowd assembled and when the coffin was placed on the biers dozens of wreaths and floral emblems were heaped around it.

The services were very simple, consisting of the singing of Swedish hymns and recital of poems. When the services were concluded the body was deposited in a hearse and the funeral procession formed, in which were representatives of the king, crown prince and government, American ministers to Sweden and Denmark, officers of the war-ship Baltimore, and municipal authorities of Stockholm. In the line was the carriage of the king of Sweden. It is estimated that 100,000 persons viewed the procession.

On arriving at the station, where a special train was waiting to convey the body to Wermland, the birthplace of Ericsson, the remains were placed in a handsome funeral car, heavily draped in black. Shortly after 3 o'clock the train moved slowly out of the station. Municipal authorities will give a banquet to the officers of the Baltimore tomorrow, and Tuesday a gala performance will be given at the opera house in their honor. Wednesday they will dine with the king at Drotningholm.

M'LEOD WINS.

The Greatest Match Ever Seen on the Coast.

The match between D. S. McLeod, the Olympic club champion and Thos. McInery, the young Irish champion, took place last Thursday at San Francisco.

Joe Acton, the champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler, was chosen referee. McLeod weighed 163 and McInerney 167 pounds.

After a little playing McInerney made his play for either the strangle hold, after his perceptor's style, or for half-Nelsons. McInerney was thrown severely on his side, and it looked very much for a moment, as if Scotland was going to be on top.

The scene changed in a very few seconds, however. Both men were on the mat, McInerney still working away for his choke hold, when McLeod broke away, and rising to his feet the men suddenly came down together, McLeod's head striking the floor. In a few more seconds it was observed that McInerney had succeeded in getting the terrible strangle hold on McLeod, who was very still and stretched prone on his face.

He tried in vain to break the hold, and finally said, "Let go; we will give you the fall."

McInerney got up, and it was found that McLeod had been choked into an insensible condition, and that a pool of blood stained the mat. He was taken to his corner amidst a scene of confusion. Restoratives were applied and McLeod restored. His splendid physical condition enabled him to recuperate sufficiently in the time given for a rest—fifteen minutes.

At the beginning of the second bout McInerney looked confident and McLeod weak, but he belied his looks and went at McInerney most fiercely, evidently intending to get even. He threw him up against the reporters' table twice, fairly cracking his bones, and then half succeeded in getting a strangle hold. Both men were angrily earnest, and McLeod's only anxiety was to get the same hold on McInerney. His determination was so great that he finally succeeded in placing the strangle on McInerney and then began a struggle apparently for life. McInerney's great sobs for breath could be heard all over the room and seemed to last an age, but by marvellous strength he finally broke away, weak and bleeding.

Another similar hold and get away created the wildest enthusiasm. McInerney placed the terrible strangle on McLeod again, and once more the Scotchman seemed gone, but he twisted away by sheer strength.

After more clever work, McInerney, in an effort to raise McLeod, lost his balance, and McLeod, taking advantage of it, threw all his weight on the Irish lad, putting both of his shoulders squarely on the floor and winning the second fall in 13:30.

The third bout was delayed a few moments by McInerney appearing stripped to the buff, and McLeod, who wore long trunks, demanded the same privilege. When the men shook hands they went to work even more fiercely than in the previous bouts. McInerney playing hard for the strangle hold, which he succeeded in getting. McLeod to save himself forced him fiercely against the ropes and tables, and then the men went to the centre and dropped to the mat again. They were up at once after an ineffectual half-Nelson or two, and McInerney again got the strangle hold. McLeod forced him back rapidly over the mat, and in the extreme eastern end threw him heavily, both shoulders touching, winning the bout in three and a half minutes and also the match.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer Rio de Janerio from China—H Miller, Ting, Lee & Co, Young, Chung & Co, Tai, Yung & Co, Wing Chong & Co, Yuen Long.

Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—Van Volkenburgh Bros, J Parker, W Wharton & Co, J Weiler, P McQuade & Son, R Jamieson, Colbert & W, C Lombard & Co, H Y & Co, Turner B & Co, Caldwell & L, D S Ross & Co, L & G, S Leiser, W Mathews, H Money & Co, J Partridge.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer North Pacific from the Sound—M Keating, C B Morris, Mrs Selkirk, Thos Eurovove, F Solomon, Miss McConkey, C O Allen, Geo Delroey, Mrs Treeton, W R Gallagher, Eugene Liddy, R J Reras, Mrs Hall, Mrs Tail, G W Lane, W McAdam, M H Madden, Geo Renzie, J H Fraser, Miss Smith, Miss Snyder, Mrs Diel, Thos Beek, C Solomon, D Carter and wife, H M Cushing, Miss Martin, F Carrol, Mrs Blair, Mrs M Teaube, R G O'Brien, Mrs Wise, J H Cockey and wife, Miss Giddines, P Hickey, Jno Dean, H G Keine, Mrs Yanlis, D Davies, D McCalley, E D Medkaiff and wife, H Schafer, Mrs Brey, W H Brooks, Wm H Burnham, Mrs Penfeigh, J H Raymond, W H Sullivan, Miss Gray, J H Kenneth, W H Tobin, M B Bordolemar, W J Stairs, J Carroll, Charles Karl, Miss Selkirk, S P Backway, E Hanson, J W Levy, A H F—, wife and son, C Kelly, A Perham, Miss Hayes, J Hooney and wife, H Collins, F Kennedy, H W Curly, C W Hayes and wife.

Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—A Jack, D Carmody, F C Smith, J Stewart, B W—, J H Isaac, Mrs Francis and daughter, C Kennedy, Miss Miller, Mrs Paul and daughter, P H McDonald and wife, C F Marwede, W O Ripley, J McDonald, S Happy, C Brand, H C Balcom, Miss Carmody, E Carrol and daughter, E S Sanford, J Hiller, F Edgar, E St John and wife, D W Dumble, H Atley, H B Walter, T B Pierson, T E Murphy, J H Wiston, S E Cumming, T S Isherwood, J Lister and wife, J Simpson, E G Jackson and wife, A Fraser and wife, P A Balsley, G E Heith, W Green, Mrs Dubois, E Johnson, Mrs Johnson, M Fisher, J H Davis, W Smith, Mrs McDonald and daughter, Mrs Pierson, W Hirst, J O West, O J Gandon, J B Powers, H Buck, C F Jones, F H Adams, J Bowdon, Miss Height, A Norton, W F Bolen and wife, H G Gorham and wife, J Miller, J Chapple.

Oft in Peril.

Lives of children are often endangered by sudden and violent attacks of cholera, cholera morbus, diarrhœa, dysentery, and bowel complaints. A reasonable and certain precaution is to keep Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry always at hand.

Large lines of new goods in furniture, carpets, glassware, etc., constantly arriving at John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street.

DAY AND MARTIN'S English BLACKING RUSSET CREAM FOR Brown Leather Boots, BEST IN THE WORLD. Chas. Gyde, Agent, Montreal
fe21-tu,th,s-6m

THE CRY OF MILLIONS

OH, MY BACK! STOP IT NOW. SOON IT WILL BE TOO LATE.

I have been troubled many years with disease of the kidneys and have tried many different remedies and have sought aid from different physicians without relief. About the 15th of April I was suffering from a very violent attack that almost prostrated me in such a manner that I was bent over. When I sat down it was almost impossible for me to get up alone, or to put on my clothes, when kind Providence sent Dr. Henley, with the OREGON KIDNEY TEA, to my hotel. I immediately commenced using the tea. It had an almost miraculous effect, and to the astonishment of all the guests at the hotel, in a few days, I am happy to state, that I was a new man. I will recommend the tea to all afflicted as I have been.

G. A. TUPPER, Proprietor Occidental Hotel, Santa Rosa, Cal.

D. E. CAMPBELL, AGENT, NO. 66 FORT STREET. sep6-1yr

DELMONICO RESTAURANT AND OYSTER PARLOR
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This establishment is first class in every respect. Every delicacy of the season served in the best style. The finest imported wines and liquors are kept at the Delmonico. Private dining rooms for ladies. Open day and night. Polite and attentive waiters. Private parties catered for in any part of the city on the shortest notice.
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CHAS. HAYWARD, FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER, Broughton St., Victoria.

C. B. LOCKHART & CO., FUNERAL DIRECTORS, Graduates of the United States College of Embalming.
PARLORS { Corner Broad Street and Trounce Ave.
TELEPHONE 198.
NIGHT CALLS, 167 Johnson Street.
au15

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between John J. Hayes and Jas. W. Meldram has been dissolved by mutual consent, the undersigned carrying on the business of the firm at the "Ship Inn," Wharf street, receiving all accounts due said firm, and pay all bills.
JAMES W. MELDRAM.
Victoria, Aug. 18, 1890. aug18-1m

NOTICE.

ISRAELITES WHO ARE NOT MEMBERS of the Congregation requiring seats at the Synagogue during the forthcoming holidays, must obtain tickets from the undersigned, or any member of the Board of Officers.
E. J. SALMON, Hon. Secretary.
sep10-2w

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT "THE BRITISH Columbian Investment and Loan Society Limited," will, after the expiration of three months from the date hereof, apply to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to have its name changed to "The British Columbia Deposit and Loan Company, Limited."
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, Bastion street, Victoria.
Dated the 27th day of Aug. A.D. 1890. au28-3m

CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE business known as the B. C. Broom Factory, has this day been sold to Yee Chong and Shoong Kee, and it is requested that all bills owing to me will be promptly paid, and all outstanding accounts will be paid on presentation. Thanking the public for their generous patronage in the past, I would solicit a continuance of the same for my successor.
ANDREW STRACHAN.
Victoria, Aug. 20, 1890.

In future the business of the B. C. Broom Factory will be carried on at the factory premises, on Fisgard street, near the Chinese theatre, by the undersigned, who respectfully requests a continuance of the patronage of the customers of the late firm. All goods manufactured of the best material and workmanship guaranteed. Orders addressed to P. O. Box 28, will receive prompt attention.
SHOONG KEE. YEE CHONG.
se1-1w

TENDERS

WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEHALF OF the British Columbia Agricultural Association, by the undersigned, up to noon, Saturday, Sept. 20th, 1890, for the privilege of selling wines, liquors and cigars during the days of the exhibition. Tender to be marked "tender for bar," also for the privilege of selling refreshments other than wines, liquor and cigars. Tender to be marked "tenders for refreshments." Also for supplying music during the days the exhibition is open to the public, that is, from Friday, Oct. 3 from noon up to 11 p.m. and on Saturday Oct. 4 from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. The Association will also need the services of about 15 men to act as gatekeepers, watchmen and to help to arrange, and take care of exhibits. Applications will be received up to date above mentioned.
C. E. RENOUF, Secretary.
Sept 12

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 12 of Subsection XXIX Beckley Farm, Victoria City.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE of TITLE of William Wait, of Victoria City, Province of British Columbia, to Lot 12 of subsection xxix, Beckley Farm, Victoria City, bearing date the 26th day of May, 1885, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.
C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.
Land Registry office Victoria, Sept. 3, 1890. se3-1m

Bank Exchange.

HAVING TAKEN OVER THE BUSINESS of the "Bank Exchange Saloon," we solicit a continuance of the patronage it has so long enjoyed.
JOSEPH SAUER. J. B. WOOD.
au12-tf

GERVAS F. WAKE & CO
REAL ESTATE AGENTS
52 LANGLEY STREET.

A first class boarding house.
41 roomed house suitable for a boarding house.
Esquimalt Road property.
27 acres on Gordon Head Road,
14 acres on Gordon Head Road.
Farm of 178 acres on Somenos Lake.
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100 acres on Saanich Road.
Lots in James Bay, Fernwood, Alfred, Henry and Collinson streets.

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Corner Douglas and Cormorant Streets.
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AUCTION SALES.

GEORGE BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION.

Saturday, Sept. 20, 11 a. m.

The Foster Gold and Silver Mining Co., (Limited), situate in Lillooet District, under the Winding Up Act.

I have been instructed by the Liquidator of the above Estate to

SELL BY AUCTION AT MY Sales Room, Fort & Langley St. VICTORIA.

All the real and personal property of the above Company situate in Lillooet District, consisting of Three Mineral Grants, being Lots 101, 102 and 103, on Kelly's Creek, 18 miles from Clinton.

Also—A ten-stamp mill with a Pelton wheel and ample water power, 4 Duncan concentrators, a chlorinating plant, and assay outfit, and a quantity of mining tools and material on the ground, the whole to be sold en bloc.

A large amount of work has been done on the mine; a wagon road has been constructed to the property.

There is a large milling and boarding house at the mine, and every facility for continuing the works.

This is the most complete milling plant and property in British Columbia.

For further particulars apply to
G. BYRNES, Auctioneer.
aug22-td

AUCTION - SALE

W. R. CLARKE, AUCTIONEER.

ESTATE OF
ERIC OLOF LENDBURG
(OTHERWISE PETER LENDBURG.)

I am instructed by J. C. Prevost, Esq., to sell by Public Auction at the

SALE ROOM, STORE ST.
—ON—
TUESDAY, THE 23rd SEPTEMBER,

At 12 o'clock, noon, all that piece or parcel of land, known as Section Eighty-Six (86), situate in Comox or Nelson District, on the south side of the bay, adjoining the Union Coal Mines, containing One Hundred and Sixty Acres (160), more or less, on which are buildings, outhouses, etc., and a number of acres cleared.

Terms, Cash. Deeds at Purchaser's expense. Title, Crown Grant.
W. R. CLARKE, Auctioneer.
[Nanaimo Free Press Copy] Sep3-3w.

AUCTION SALE.

I am instructed by the Mortgagee to sell by Public Auction, at the

Sale Room, Store St.
—ON—
FRIDAY, 19th SEPT.

At 12 o'clock noon, all those pieces or parcels of land, numbered on the official map as follows, viz.: Victoria city lots, No. 65 Kane street, 311 and 312 View street, and subdivision lot No. 6 of 5 acres, suburban lot No. X5, fifteen Pandora street, with all improvements thereon.

LEASEHOLD INTEREST

Of the Mortgage in part of Lot 530 Cormorant street and the buildings thereon for the unexpired portion of the lease of 25 years and seven months, from the first day of July, 1884, at the monthly rental of $22.50 per month.

SECTION No. 3, COMOX DISTRICT,

Containing 99 acres more or less.

Terms cash. Deeds at purchasers' expense.
sep4td-2w W. R. CLARKE.
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Begs to announce that on and after this date
J. W. CHURCH, ESQ., M.A.,
Will become associated with him as Joint Head Master of Corrig College. Mr. Church has been Head Master of the Middlesborough Grammar School, England, for the past five years, and is a Prizeman, Scholar, and Master of Arts of the Durham University, a first-class in the Theo. Exam. of the University of Cambridge, and a Student in Philosophy of the University of Edinburgh; he has a Diploma from the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education as Science Master, and has passed over 200 candidates in the University Matriculation and Degree Exams., Cambridge and Durham Locals, Legal, Medical, Pharmaceutical and Commercial Exams.
School Year Begins Tuesday, Sept. 9th.
To ensure admission this year an early application should be made.
Corrig College, Victoria, B. C. sep5-1m

STEAMBOATS.

NOT RESPONSIBLE.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY'S
—SHIP—

"Titania"
From London.

Neither the Hudson's Bay Company nor Captain Dunn will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above-named vessel.
For the Hudson's Bay Company,
THOMAS R. SMITH, Assistant Commissioner.
se4-2w

Notice to Consignees.

THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY'S
—SHIP—

"TITANIA,"
CAPT. DUNN.

Will commence discharging freight at the Company's Wharf, Victoria Harbor, on Friday next, the 5th instant.

Consignees are requested to call at the Company's office, pay freight and receive orders for their goods.

All merchandise left on the wharf after 4 o'clock each day will be stored by the Company at the risk and expense of the owners.
For the Hudson's Bay Company,
THOMAS R. SMITH, Assistant Commissioner.
se4-2w

Columbia & Kootenay Steam Navigation Co. d.

THE STEAMER

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SPROAT & LITTLE DALLES

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Tuesday and Friday at 9 a.m.
se3 J. A. MARA,
Revelstoke, Sept. 1, 1890. Manager.

MUNICIPAL.

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THE COURT OF REVISION FOR THE year 1890 will sit on Monday, the 22nd instant at 11 a.m., in the Council Chambers, City Hall. By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
City Hall, Sept. 13, 1890. se13-td

SEWERAGE PLANS.

The above Plans, as amended by Rudolph Hering's Plans, are on view at the

City Surveyor's Office, CITY HALL.

Ratepayers will be given all explanations they require by applying to the City Surveyor P. J. Leech.
(Colonist copy.) sep12-tf

BUTTER!
Receiving weekly by refrigerator car consignments
CHOICE NEW GRASS TUB BUTTER.
J. & A. CLEARIHUE.
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MUNICIPAL.

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Building By-Law.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

That Section twenty-one (21) of "The Building By-Law" be, and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto at the end of said Section the following words "Nor shall any tent or tents be placed or erected within the said limits."

This By-Law may be cited as "The Buildings By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council this 3rd day of September, A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 10th day of September, A.D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C.M.C. sep11

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Bank Credit By-Law, 1890.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

Section one (1) of the Bank Credit By-Law 1890, is hereby amended by striking out the figure "5" in the fourth line of said Section and inserting therefor the figure "8."

This By-Law may be cited as "The Bank Credit By-Law Amendment By-Law.

Passed the Municipal Council this 3rd day of September, A.D. 1890.

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(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C.M.C. se11

A BY-LAW

Providing for the Widening of Chatham Street.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT FOR THE convenience of the traveling public and the citizens generally that Chatham street in the City of Victoria be widened.

Be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

That Chatham street, Spring Ridge aforesaid, be widened for its length between Chambers street and Fernwood road, in said city, to a uniform width of forty feet, and that for such purposes the land on each side of said street between Chambers street and Fernwood road aforesaid, to a width of ten feet, or such other width as may be found to be necessary, shall be entered upon, taken and used for the purpose of widening same as aforesaid.

This By-Law may be cited as "The Chatham Street Improvement By-Law, 1890.

Passed the Municipal Council the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 10th day of September, A. D. 1890.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. se11

A BY-LAW

To Appoint Park Commissioners for Beacon Hill Park.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. Thomas Earle, Joseph Heywood and John H. Turner are hereby appointed Park Commissioners for said Park.

2. It shall be the duty of the said Commissioners to recommend to the Council such improvements, as in their opinion, would be desirable and proper to be executed in said Park together with an estimate of the cost of said improvements, and to make frequent personal inspection of the said Park and to examine all accounts and claims in respect of the said Park and to certify same, to sign all cheques drawn in respect of the said accounts and claims, and said cheques to be countersigned by the Mayor for the time being, of the said City, and to see that all moneys voted for Park purposes be not expended otherwise than for Park purposes, to settle all disputes which may, from time to time, arise between the surveyor in charge, inspector or inspectors or either of them, and any contractor or contractors for any work in connection with said Park, and report the same through the City Clerk to the Municipal Council of said Corporation, and the decision of the said Commissioners shall be final, and shall, at the end of the term of their appointment, report to the said Council the condition of said Park and the improvements made thereon. In such report they shall also include the cost that the City has been to on account of said Park and upon what account expended, and generally shall exercise a supervision over the said Park and improvements that may be made. The said Commissioners shall meet at least once each month, and at any other time at the call of the secretary upon reasonable notice. The City Clerk shall act as secretary at all meetings of said Commissioners.

This By-Law may be cited as "The Beacon Hill Park Commissioners Appointment By-Law

Passed the Municipal Council the 6th day of September, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 10th day of September, A. D. 1890.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. se11

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PROTECTION A PARASITE.

Our contemporary tries to reconcile its two statements made the other day, viz., that the McKINLEY Bill would do harm to Canada, and yet not permanently so. What does commercial isolation amount to? We are all familiar with the sight once presented of the pioneer so remote from market, that he lived by the corn he raised and the game he killed. This once was practically the condition of the Western States; it was virtually that of Canada. Not until the settlers found a market for the surplus products they could raise did they become wealthy and cease to wear buckskin. Markets, and accessibility to them, built up Chicago; the same may be said of Canadian cities. Men living under primæval conditions may be happy, but if they would progress they must have to do with the outside world. States have not within themselves the quality of material development, in the sense that we understand it. Unless a people produce more than they consume, and find sale for it, they must remain stationary in point of material progress, or, at least, development of that kind is unconscionably slow. Now this is what commercial isolation means to Canada. If she cannot dispose of her surplus products, she must, industrially speaking, come to a stand still. She will continue to live but strive as much as she may she cannot produce the conditions within herself essential to material progress. A produces barley which he exchanges for home-made beer. B produces wheat which he exchanges for lumber. C produces wool which he exchanges with the manufacturer for cloth, and these in turn exchange with somebody else for what they want, and at the end of the year everybody stands just where they began, and this is what commercial isolation means to Canada. Canada's chiefest and best market is the United States, and for the reason that they are closest to hand, and in just that proportion that her products are shut off from the States in just that proportion will her producers suffer. Even granting that they find a market in Europe, the relief is only partial; Europe is too far away; it is the producers who must stand the cost of transportation. It is fundamentally impossible for States to develop wealth by trade within themselves. The sine qua non of material development is the disposal of surplus products at a profit. Canada isolates herself and so do the United States. They propose to subsist within themselves. The ultimate result will be, other nations retaliating in kind, that neither will produce more than is required for home consumption and so we have the round of the treadmill, the conditions which were peculiar to the pioneer who ground his own corn and tanned his own clothing. Canada commercially isolated on the one hand and taxed on the other for purposes of internal development will soon find herself in a sorry plight. The producer unable to dispose of his surplus will necessarily be unable to meet his taxes. The development of the manufacturing interests under protection requires that the people shall be able to dispose of their surplus. Protection lives by virtue of what the people earn over and above a living. Protection is a parasite; it lives off the surplus earnings of the people. Cut off these surplus earnings and what is the result? Protection falls to the ground. We have a condition of exchange merely in which the parties thereto exist and no more. Commercial isolation, then, from the States means just this. In just that proportion that Canadian farmer fails to dispose of his surplus in just proportion is he unable to support protection. Hard up himself the industries which depend on him for support must suffer proportionately, and just so long as Canada is cut off from the States, unless she secures other markets, just so long will she be injured; within herself she cannot grow rich nor can the United States. Those who look for something to turn up within British North America to compensate for commercial isolation from the States are beside themselves. If every man in Canada had a bushel of diamonds and was unable to dispose of them they would be in the position of ROBINSON CRUSOE. Every boy remembers how worthless money was to him.

MICHAEL DAVITT IN A NEW ROLE.

MICHAEL DAVITT is about to start a labor journal in London. MICHAEL DAVITT in the role of editor of a journal of this description, applying his abilities rightly ought to accomplish much in behalf of labor. Labor has no great organ that we are aware of. Proclaimed labor organs so far as we have seen are not what they should be, calm in their statements and impartial in their judgments. Labor, however, has not especially suffered on this account. Labor has found sympathisers on all sides, the press indeed throughout the English speaking world has for the most part recognized the equity of labor's demands. We do not know of one influential journal in the States that is unfriendly to workingmen, and in Canada a similar state of things exist save in the case of the Colonist. The Colonist to-day has the proud distinction of being, so far as we know, the only journal in Canada which treats HENRY GEORGE with contumely and labor with contempt. Labor owes much to the press of Canada, of England, and of the United States. The London Times Conservative to the core, has not within a recent period, at least, been unfriendly to labor. In the United States during the recent strike, the New York Central was handled without gloves by influential journals. In Canada the tone of the press was universally kind and even indulgent. With the solitary exception of the Colonist the press all over the continent has discussed labor as if it had rights in common with monied interests. But though labor has the ear of the press it ought to have exponents of its own, bold, able and impartial. It would look better and it would speak better for its unity of purpose. If labor has a specific object in view it should have an exponent as able as the ablest that might be employed as a counter-blast. Labor journals that we are familiar with are extremists usually, have pressed their views to the extent of intensifying the normal antagonism between labor and capital. They have seen the controversy from the point of the organization only, and have shut their eyes to the fact that there are other interests to be considered. Papers of this class soon lose influence if they ever had any. Proclaimed selfishness rallies all other parties against it, without adding a particle of strength to its own side. In the case of Mr. DAVITT, however, we may expect an organ which while ably presenting the cause of labor, will not forget that there is another side. It is to be presumed, in fact, that he is aware that class newspapers have two functions to fill—to advise the members of their own class and keep them informed of passing events, and secondly, to bring pressure to bear on the public at large to induce them to assent to the reforms which the class demands. The misfortune of labor has been the accidental assumption of leadership by persons either vicious or uninformed as to the nature of their functions. Such mistakes were but natural. They fall to the lot of all organizations. Mr. DAVITT, however, is a man of wide experience, and is well fitted by the quality of his mind to lead workingmen in the right direction. As the great exponent of their rights and their aims his advice will be all powerful and his sanction of their movements essential. He has a difficult task before him—a vast responsibility. The world in general and labor in particular is to be congratulated that the role of a labor advocate is to be undertaken by a man who if he so inclines can treat its case with the impartiality of a judge and with the dispassionateness of a philosopher.

THE COLORED PROBLEM OF THE SOUTH.

The Springfield Republican replying to the deportation scheme of the Charleston, S. C., News and Courier, puts it in this way:

If deportation to Africa or elsewhere is advocated on the ground that the welfare of the negro demands it, the burden of proof is all upon its advocates. The presumption is squarely against it; the very weakness and incapacity of a large part of the race is, as we have before shown, a convincing reason against it. The negro needs the kindly guidance of the "superior race," he needs the training and the education which it is the duty as well as the privilege of that race to give him. His highest development has been reached under these conditions, his lowest degradation when separated from them. Instead of its being true "that they should go apart to themselves is indicated by every fact in their experience," the exact contrary is true, and the fact that the average negro of the southern states is to-day vastly above the average African barbarian proves this conclusively. Possibly the News and Courier may deny this fact, if it does it will find itself practically alone in its denial.

Where is the evidence that the racial peculiarities of the negro render his deportation either advisable or necessary? It cannot be shown that the negro is hopelessly ignorant or immoral as a race, or if it could, ignorance or immorality are not racial peculiarities. The racial peculiarities of the negro are almost entirely physical. His mental traits differ only in degree, if at all, from those of white men. Low whites and low negroes gravitate together, and there is nothing which separates a cultured negro from a cultured white man but prejudice.

That's the whole business in a nutshell. The difference between the cultured negro and the cultured white man is prejudice and that is what is the matter with them down South, and in the language of ANDY JOHNSON, whilom President of the United States, "God help bless the white man, but God help the white man."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Says a Massachusetts paper, commenting on the statement that the McKINLEY bill was fashioned "after full consultation with the people," and contains "the wishes and the wisdom of the United States," the true history of the McKINLEY bill in the light of this statement has the flavor of a huge joke. No tariff bill ever passed was "the results of the beliefs of the whole people of the United States;" all have been, and the McKINLEY bill is a conspicuous example, the results of grand combination log-rolls of all the interests that want protection, so called.

The Free Press says that it has leaked out that Messrs. DUNSMUIR "guaranteed the expenses of the troops before a man would leave Victoria for Wellington," and then proceeds to discuss the situation of affairs as revealed by the bargain. Most people will agree with the conclusion arrived at by our contemporary, viz., that such arrangement might not be possible. The troops were necessary or they were not. If necessary it is the duty of the municipal authority having jurisdiction—which in this instance is the Provincial Government—to pay the expenses. The militia cannot be at the beck and call of every rich man. The Wellington affair, it is evident, will be a fruitful subject for the next legislature.

Says the Toronto Mail, anent the "Oka matter," Mr. DEWDNEY is "exceedingly unhappy as a statesman. He has a knack of making statements that get him into trouble. At the last session of Parliament, for example, he made a terrible slip in discussing his departmental printing. The Government wishes it to be understood, of course, that the new printing bureau is a judicious enterprise. Yet when Mr. DEWDNEY was heckled on the subject of the printing of the geological reports at a private printing office, he declared that the work was given to an outside printer because under this plan it could be performed more cheaply than at the Government institution. It is to be hoped the Minister will not attempt a solution of his Oka letter, or there will be another awkward mistake." This is not the first mistake Mr. DEWDNEY has made, it is only one of them. Last year he paid Victoria a visit, was dined and wined, and in the end made a pro-Chinese speech. This settled Mr. DEWDNEY's hash so far as British Columbia is concerned. This year Mr. DEWDNEY visited British Columbia practically incognito.

CANADIAN TELEGRAMS.

Newsy Items Gathered from Different Parts of the Dominion.

Chas. Benwell of England, brother of F. C. Benwell, for whose murder Burchell will be tried next week, has arrived at Toronto as a witness for the crown.

The report that the Dominion Government has compromised with Mrs. Allen in regard to the celebrated schooner Bridgewater is incorrect. The Minister of Justice has informed Mrs. Allen that the Government will admit all questions of fact not in dispute, but will do nothing more pending a judicial decision.

Supt. Bell, of the U. S. secret service, arrived at Toronto on Sunday night, accompanied by two detectives who have been located in Ontario for some time issuing not only ordinary "green goods" but also well executed imitations of gold coins. The detectives claim to know the whereabouts of the gang.

THE COAL TROUBLE.

Difficulties Daily Arising in San Francisco Over the Wellington Strike.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—The strike of the Wellington coal miners in British Columbia is likely to spread to the other mines in that locality. A report from the strikers received in this city yesterday states that the steamer Wellington, being unable to secure sufficient coal at the scene of the trouble, was on its way to the Union mine at Comox, B. C., where it was intended that a full cargo should be taken.

The miners there are not on a strike, but the letter declares that a boycott is to be placed on the mine, and more emphatic measures will be taken if Dunsmuir is allowed to take any more coal from that locality. It is reported that E. Delicke, the manager of the brewery syndicate, which controls all the important brewing establishments in this city, Oakland and San Jose, has sent word to Dunsmuir, discontinuing all patronage.

The supply of coal is still limited. Every steamer that arrives from Nanaimo is besieged with coal carts. The Federated Trades are threatening to boycott R. D. Chandler because he has been supplying some of the Dunsmuirs' customers. Chandler retaliates by saying he will make one of the combination to close every coal mine in the place. The trouble arose in this way: The Dunsmuirs contracted to supply the United States buildings, fortifications and some of the men-of-war. Owing to the strike in their mine, they have been unable to get out any coal. In consequence, two army officers and one of Dunsmuir's clerks called upon Chandler and asked him whether he would supply the coal. Chandler agreed to do so, hence the trouble.

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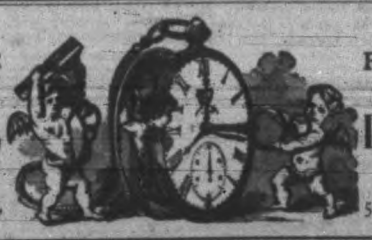

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NOTICE REGARDING RULES 6 and 7.

Parties exhibiting thoroughbred stock and not being in possession of a certified pedigree, will not be debarred from exhibiting such stock, but exhibitors will have to give satisfactory proof that such is thoroughbred if the judges require it.

C. E. RENOUF, Secretary.

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W. R. CLARKE, Harbor Master.

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NOTICE to MARINERS

AS WORK WILL AT ONCE BE COMmenced to take out Beaver Rock it is requested, that all vessels coming in or going out of Victoria Harbor must give the scows or barges employed in this work as broad a birth as possible, and also to go at a slow speed.

A red light will be exhibited on the s. e. corner of the scow or barge from dark until daylight while the work is being done.

W. R. CLARKE, Harbor Master.

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MR. PICKERING HEARD FROM.

To the Editor—In your weekly issue of the 1st of August current, I observe in one of your leading articles, re City Sewerage, the following remarks:

"There were two points in the Pickering plan which appeared fatal to a non-professional mind—the great depth of the sewers and the ultimate deposit of the solids on the shores of Ross Bay. For our part we never could understand why drains should have a depth of fifteen or twenty feet when half that distance would answer every requirement just as well."

With your permission, I will explain that our design of 1885-6 was a design to effectually drain the whole of the city by simple gravitation upon the most modern English principle. In this case it was necessary in bringing up the outfall sewer along Wharf and Store streets, to cut deep, so as to get a good working grade to reach the intersection of Discovery and Douglas streets, at the west end, the lowest point. By this means the whole of Victoria West and Northwest was secured within the limits assigned to us to operate upon. No pumping was needed, or any annual expense in working this scheme, beyond trifling manual labor for the entire city limits, which, of course, includes James Bay. And with regard to the tributory sewers, it has been over and over again stated in your columns, and in my reports, that only such depths would be excavated as was absolutely required in any particular street, for instance, in the strictly business part of your city, where shop and warehouse property is extremely valuable, and where it is in the interest of owners to have deep basements, sewers would of necessity have to be deep, but in many other parts of the city they were meant to be only so deep as to provide for the class of residences on the same where but few basements or cellars existed, or were likely to be constructed. But there are occasionally strong reasons why in particular localities for short distances, sewers have to be deep to secure workable grades. I will give an illustration. You know well the neighborhood of View street in and about Cook. In former times, when the first pioneers set foot on what is now Victoria, this part was a shallow lake or swamp. Now it is not uncommon in this part for the ground floor of the villas to be some two or three feet below the level of the centre of the wide avenues, and if we say three feet, the house drains should have at least a fall 1 in 50, besides the depth to insert the domestic gully within the curtilage of the villa, and the drop of the drain into the sewer. Altogether in this case the depth of the invert of the public sewer in the avenue would have to be about 7 feet below the crown of the avenue, and from this a workable face, depending upon the diameter of the sewer, has to be given over the lip or margin causing a depth, perhaps, from 11 to 12 feet for a short distance near the said ancient margin, but once over that the fall of the ground increases and the depth reverts must shallower to what is necessary aforesaid. I trust, Mr. Editor, this is now clear to non-professional minds why deep sewers are in some cases unavoidable in order to secure good workable gradients.

With regard to the alleged ultimate deposit of solids on the shores of Ross Bay, it is absolute nonsense and a delusion. The proposed mode of discharge would entirely prevent anything objectionable. I have had over forty years active experience and can quote Bays similar to Ross Bay in its eddies and currents, where I have drained large and populous districts into them, and for thirty-five years user in two instances, no injury has arisen or complaint been made. But I fear further to trespass on your space and indulgence. Yours faithfully,

RICHARD PICKERING.

Whitehaven, Eng., Aug. 27.

FREE TRADE.

The Enormous Benefit that Would Accrue to Canada.

The Toronto Globe, in an article entitled "The Exchange of National Products," says: The Americans buy as much from us as they do from Italy, Switzerland and the Netherlands combined, and much more than they purchase from Belgium, Austria, Spain, Sweden, Norway, Russia, Portugal and Turkey all put together. Turning to the imports of the Dominion from the States, the return shows that over 42 per cent. of them are admitted free under our tariff. In 1875 the percentage was nearly 55 per cent., but it fell, of course, when the N. P. was introduced in 1879, and in 1884 was as low as 28. The fact that 42 per cent. of our imports from the States and 31¼ per cent. of their imports from us are free, shows to what a considerable extent the two countries have to look to each other for raw products.

When Sir Leonard Tilley was bringing in the N.P. in 1879 he entirely lost sight of this point, and imagined that if he augmented the customs taxation our trade with the States would decline and that with Britain increase. This notion was sedulously propagated by the Ministerial press and by the Ministerial writers assigned to the task of placating those Englishmen who were angry at our adopting protection. The Fortnightly Review for 1879, then under Mr. John Morley's management, contained an article by a Canadian Tory entitled "Canadian Protection Vindicated" which must have set the editor's teeth on edge. It was argued or rather insisted on that Britain would be benefited by the N.P. "It does not appear to the Canadian protectionists," said the writer, "that the people of England have the slightest reason to fear that their trade interests will suffer by Canada's adoption of a protective tariff. On the contrary, 'if the new policy answers the expectations of its advocates, an increase instead of a decrease of British imports into the country will be one of its results;' and so on. If the Canadian protectionists had stopped to think they would have perceived that under any high tariff designed to bolster up Canadian manufactures it was inevitable that British trade should suffer more than that of the United States, from which we purchase so large a proportion of free raw material.

If all products were free an enormous development would take place on this side of the line. Even as it is the exchange of natural articles is very considerable notwithstanding the restrictionist theory that a profitable trade cannot be done between two countries whose productions are to a great extent similar. If that view were sound there could be no such thing as an interprovincial commerce in Canada. A return prepared by the United States officials for the Hoar Committee on Canada (p. 1,133 of the committee's report of testimony) gives the value of the agricultural products and live animals exchanged between Canada and the United States during 1888. Our chief exports in that line were horses, cattle, sheep, eggs, hides and furs, wool, apples, barley, peas, grains, hay and potatoes. In all we sent them, according to their figures, over seventeen million dollars' worth. On the other hand, they sent us 21¼ million dollars' worth, [illegible] to us included horses, slaughtered swine for export, cheese, eggs, hides, lard, bacon and hams, beef, pork, meats, wool, fruits, flax, grains, flour, vegetables. All these, it will be noted, are articles which we ourselves produce. The French have a saying that "there is nothing here below so brutal as a fact," and a more destructive answer than this could hardly be given to the contention above referred to. They also send us seeds and roots, fruit and shade trees, bristles, furs and skins, grease, broom corn, trees and plants, tobacco, raw cotton, sugar and molasses. Sugar and molasses are probably classed as agricultural products by the United States Treasury because they are produced in the South. Another table (p. 1178 of the testimony) shows the exchange which took place between the two countries in minerals. The States bought from us $3,125,000 worth, whilst we took from them $8,430,000 worth. Here again it will be seen that similarity of production did not interfere with trade, but that geographical distribution is the determining factor in such cases. We sent them coal, they sent us coal. We sent them copper ore notwithstanding that their own mines showed an output of the value of $178,000. Their chief mineral exports to us besides coal were pig iron, mineral oils, marble and stone, together with finished or half-finished products of iron and steel. We sold to them, besides coal and copper, such articles as asbestos, grindstones and [illegible] from Nova Scotia, iron ore, lime, lithic, phosphates, pyrites and salt. Major Powell, chief of the United States Geological Survey, has a high opinion (pp. 1,174-77) of our mineral resources. He points out that besides containing rich and extensive deposits of iron, coal and copper, Canada possesses certain minerals, such as arsenic and asbestos, not found or at any rate not produced in the United States, and that "British Columbia seems to be the most promising locality outside of Russia" for supplying platinum.

LIFE AT CAPE FLATTERY.

Halibut and Salmon in Abundance—How Indians Kill Seals.

Tatoosh Letter in Friday Harbor Graphic.]

The halibut fishers are reaping a rich harvest this summer here, and very often they come in from a few hours' fishing with twenty to forty large halibut per man. The famous Flattery banks are about twelve miles northwest of our light, and as I write I can see the fishing steam schooner George H. Chance, of Portland, Oregon, lying at anchor and loading with those flat beauties of the deep. The Chance unloads her cargo at Portland and they are immediately shipped East—to Kansas City, Omaha, Chicago and other points. This branch of industry is yet in its infancy, but I fancy that ere long I will be able to count on that same bank not one but scores of fine fishing schooners.

The salmon have just put in an appearance here, and the Indians are busy trolling for them, although there is so much bait around the cape now they will not bite well for a week or ten days yet. The whales, sea lions, sharks and hair seals are making things lively for the salmon, and when a whale rolls in where the salmon are thick, I can see the speckled beauties jump two or three feet out of the water. One Indian yesterday killed seven seals, and the largest one would certainly weigh 400 pounds, if not more.

From Cape Flattery to the bend opposite our light there are twenty-two caves, and the seals go in there to enjoy a quiet snooze but the Indian glides up in his little canoe, hits the poor seal a tap on the nose and quietly transfers him from his shady resting-place to the bottom of his light canoe and then turns his attention to seal No. 2. When the tide is light the Indians have a curious way of hunting seal in these caves, which is quite curious to see. An Indian with a flaming torch on his head swims into the cave and the seals crowd around him in wonder at this strange visitation, when Indian No. 2 steals up noiselessly in his canoe and knocks them in the head with a club made expressly for that purpose.

BEATS THE RECORD.

A Pennsylvania Woman Who Has Not Touched Food for 141 Days.

A dispatch from Carbonville, Pa., gives a case of the longest fasting on record, either voluntary or involuntary. The subject is a Mrs. Adam Wucher of the village of Whitehall, who has not tasted a morsel of solid food for 152 days. Since the beginning of her fast Mrs. Wucher, who is 39 years of age, was in good health. About that time she began to fail, the first evidence of declining health being a spasmodic cough and a gradual loss of voice.

Eighteen months ago the cough became very severe, and her voice sank at times to a whisper. Ten months ago swallowing became difficult and in a short time she was unable to get anything down her throat except liquids. Her condition became worse, until she was unable to partake of liquid food only at rare intervals. Since Good Friday she has not taken a drop of water, although she complains of intense thirst. The only way in which her thirst can be allayed is by placing one of her hands in a basin of water, where it is kept for half an hour, so the pores can absorb the moisture.

The woman is suffering from cancer, which has grown steadily until her throat is almost completely closed. Six months ago epileptic convulsions developed, and these occur from five to fifty times a day, though they are of short duration.

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PASS CALLING GUESTS.

An English Tourist's Tale About the Queerest Hotel on Earth.

"The queerest hotel in the world is in Guatemala City, Central America," said an Englishe tourist to a Chicago Tribune reporter. "While there a few weeks ago I stopped a day at the biggest hostelry and met with more surprises than I have previously encountered in my trip around the world. The house is built only one story high on account of the earthquakes. It is constructed in the form of a hollow square, and the interior court is made beautiful with trees and flowers. The exterior resembles the appearance of a fortress. After pounding a high knocker on the outer door you are ushered into a scene of verdant beauty. The hotel was formerly the private residence of one of the richest families of Central America, but the owner was banished by President Barrios for an alleged conspiracy against the Government. Around the interior were balconies overlooking a garden filled with orange and peach trees, palms and beautiful flowers. The fare was good and we had our choice of pancakes with honey, fish, poultry, fruits and coffee and chocolate. You can't eat there if you are in a hurry, though. Only one thing is served at a time, and you can't get a cup of coffee until every thing else has been served. The hotel furnishes candles, but matches are extra. Then there is a system of calling the guests which entitles the hotel to the name of the queerest one on the earth. You are called by flies. The flies down there are nearly as large as an English sparrow and they sting like a hornet, though the bite is not poisonous. They never kill them, but brush them away. The halls of the hotel are filled with these pests in the morning. Over each door is a transom. Now, if you leave a call for seven o'clock your transom is opened at seven and the flies go in. Do they wake you? I should say so. The sensation is like that of being sandbagged. In five minutes from the time your transom is opened you are downstairs looking for the proprietor. It doesn't do any good to kick, though, for that system has been the custom for years."

MAMMA'S BABY BOY.

How He Entertained the Passengers on a Railway Train.

She was one of the most aggressive women these broad United States ever produced, says the New York Tribune. She bounced on board a Pennsylvania railroad south-bound train at Newark, and took the car by storm. When she had planted an unpromising infant in a vacant seat, and arranged a wilderness of bundles with appropriate remarks, which might have been heard by the engineer across the tender and four coaches, she seated herself by the child and began a continuous and distracting comment about papa and grandma and auntie, which made all the passengers shiver and crane their necks to see where the conversational blizzard came from.

"Think you'll know grandma, Charlie?" she vivaciously inquired.

"Yep."

"And dear Aunt Fanny?"

"Guess so. Ma, will Aunt Fanny need shaving as much as she did last summer?"

"You mustn't say that, Charlie. Won't you have a nice time playing with little Willie Corrigan, next door?"

"You bet I will! Ma, has Willie got that dorg we used to fool with?"

"I expect he has, dear; and Willie is such a manly little fellow I like to have mamma's good little boy with him."

"Ma."

"Yes, darling."

"Gimme a cake—one of them big fly-cakes, ma."

And when that car reached the Broad Street station there wasn't a man among its cargo of frantic humanity whose fingers had not twitched from Newark to Philadelphia with the longing to hurl ma and Charlie through the nearest window, bag, bundles, fly-cakes and all.

SPORTING NOTES.

Brief Resume of Sporting Matters Here and Elsewhere.

A large crowd gathered in Philharmonic Hall last evening to see the boxing match for points between O'Donnell, of San Francisco, and Waters, of the man-of war Champion. A bout cleverly boxed, between Towers and Trot, blue-jackets from the fleet, showed that both were scientific men. The event of the evening proved that Waters was the most proficient boxer, although O'Donnell tried to get in blows which were more of a knock out character than for points. Supt. Sheppard interposed and stopped the fight, as it was too much of a slugging character, although to the credit of Waters be it said that he was only working for points, and won the match on that score, a foul being claimed against O'Donnell, who broke through all the rules of point boxing.

SEAL SKINS TO BE DRESSED

In the United States, and Much Money Kept in the Country.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—Louis Sloss to-day confirmed the statement published a few days ago to the effect that there were several places in the United States where sealskins were prepared for market as dexterously as in England or France. Private advices have been received say a number of prominent eastern furriers have organized themselves into a corporation, having some of the essential features of a trust. The capital stock, $1,000,000, has been subscribed. The avowed object is to free the American public from the tyranny of the French and English sealskin dyers.

Among the prominent members of the new company is the house of Treadwell & Co., Albany, which claims to have inherited from its ex-senior member the subtle secret of the French dying process. This company intends handling an immense quantity of Siberian sealskins. Big margins, caused by sending the skins to Europe to be dressed, will thus be avoided.

Speaking of the renewal of the Russian contract, Mr. Sloss said that the company had not yet been extended. The company, however, is confident of [illegible] its being accepted by the Russian government. The contract will run for ten years. The Alaska Commercial company is wary about extending it further, because it is calculated that the depredations of the poachers in the next few years will have as disastrous an effect on the Siberian rookeries as they had in the Behring sea.

Racing With Wolves.

Many a thrilling tale has been told by travellers of a race with wolves across the frozen steppes of Russia. Sometimes only the picked bones of the hapless traveller are found to tell the tale. In our own country thousands are engaged in a life and death race against the wolf consumption. The best weapons with which to fight the foe, is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This renowned remedy has cured myriads of cases when all other medicines and doctors had failed. It is the greatest blood purifier and restorer of strength known to the world. For all forms of scrofulous affections (and consumption is one of them), it is unequalled as a remedy.

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THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the Stockholders will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 1st day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

12th September, 1890. sep12-td

NOTICE.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the shareholders will be held at the company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday the 1st day of October next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, Victoria 12th September 1890.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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A correspondent of the Toronto Globe writes from Manitoba says:

From an artistic point of view this is one of the most interesting of all the settlements in the Northwest of Manitoba. In language, manners, customs and appearance the Hungarians are totally distinct from any of the other colonists. Though they do not wear their national costume they could never be mistaken for either English or Canadians. The women wear long boots, very short skirts and a silk handkerchief tied over the head. They are a good-looking people, with olive complexions; ruddy, sun-kissed cheeks; straight, black hair; and eyes that glow and burn with strange intensity, and which sparkle or grow dark with every changing emotion. Both men and women are excitable and impulsive, and when talking gesticulate freely, yet not ungracefully. Sometimes, indeed, their gestures are so wild as to suggest to the uninitiated that a fight is imminent until a sudden burst of laughter dispels the idea, and the surprised spectator realizes with astonishment that what was mistaken for an angry threat, is apparently only

THE ILLUSTRATION OF A GOOD JOKE.

Most of them speak English, but very few of them speak it at all fluently.

Many curious superstitions prevail among them and they are strong believers in witchcraft and enchantment. The little spice of danger lends fascination to a subject which they are ever willing and ready to discuss. With earnest, eager faces and impressive gestures they tell of friends and relatives who have been bewitched, and while the speaker recites well-known and authentic instances, appealing first to one and then another to verify her story, the others interrupt with confirmatory exclamations and nods. As soon as the first has finished, her neighbor hastens to add her testimony to the "ower true tale." Seated in the "living room" of Georg Kiss, (pronounced Kish) house the other women gathered around me while Marie Kiss, his wife, standing before me with animated face and glowing eyes told how a young girl, a friend of hers, had been bewitched. The girl was young and pretty, but she had offended one of the "wise women," who in revenge bewitched the girl's lover so that he turned from her without a word of explanation and married another. For one weary year the forsaken girl lay on a sick bed until her parents, who had pleaded so long in vain, at last softened

THE CRUEL HEART OF THE WITCH

and in one week she was restored to perfect health.

"You remember Kati, is it not true, Juliska?"

"Yes, yes, poor Kati, it is true, and now she is so strong, so strong, poor Kati."

"And then, Marie, there was Boresa, she got a love drink from the 'wise woman' and charmed Istvan, who loved Juliska, and he married Boresa."

"Yes, yes," cried the other women, "it is true, we know."

"How is a 'love drink' made?" I asked, filled with curiosity to know the ingredients of a potion that could produce such strange and startling effects. The women drew nearer, as Marie, lowering her voice, gave me the following apparently harmless recipe for the powerful and mysterious charm:—

"You buy from the old woman a wheat, so white, so white, and then you rub it on the grater until it is flour, and when he drinks wine or beer you pour the flour in and he will love you very much." "Is that all?" I said, a little disappointed that no untranslatable charm was to be repeated over the potion none of those awful midnight vigils to be kept when the heart stands still with sudden nameless fears and every little noise sounds so dreadfully unfamiliar, so mysterious that the blood runs cold in the veins of the fearful yet delighted watcher; for the more strange and ghostly the midnight sounds the more surely is the spell working.

"Yes, that is all, but it is not like our wheat, it is oh so different and so white."

"Are there any 'wise women' in the colony?"

"Oh, yes, and they bewitch the cows so that they go 'dry' sometimes, if you give away any of the milk after sunset and before sunrise the cow will never give any more milk."

The women disagreed in their reasons for this last superstition. Some claimed that

MILKING AFTER SUNDOWN

rendered the animal susceptible to witchcraft, while others said it drew from the source of supply, or to explain it in other words, milking after sundown is like using capital, while after sunrise it is like income only.

Marie Kiss is a tall well-formed young woman, with slender, sinewy hands and round brown arms. Her hair is dark and her black eyebrows well marked. Her olive skin, deep blue eyes, crimson cheeks and scarlet lips seem to have caught some of the blaze and glow of the scorching summer sun; and as she speaks her lips part in a brilliant smile over her white, even little teeth. Her husband is a good-looking young man, resembling a good deal the portraits one sees of Chopin. They made a picturesque group as she stood for a moment, her baby on her arm, while her husband and an older man were weighing some balls of twine. They laughed, gesticulated; shook their heads and frowned, all talking at once, then suddenly, with a shrug of the shoulders, each turned away, and the discussion was ended.

A HARDWORKING RACE.

The Hungarians are a hardworking, industrious race, and the women make hay, reap and bind side by side with the men. They have been only four years in the Northwest, and many of them have 60, 70, and one man 90 acres in crop, and from fourteen to eighteen head of cattle. At present they labor under the disadvantage of being unable to speak much English. The great majority belong to the Roman Catholic Church; there are, however, one or two Church of Scotland families, four belonging to the Greek Church and three Calvanists. Strange to say, they have not intermarried with the Canadian or English settlers, though this is probably due to the fact of their not speaking the language.

When the women work in the fields they carry with them the babies and very young children and place them under a tree or bush in a most ingeniously constructed cradle. Taking four sticks about four feet high, they stick them into the ground slanting, so that they cross one another like the ends of a saw-horse; on top of these they place two other sticks lengthwise, from which a piece of canvas or calico is slung like a bag or hammock, and in this the child is put, and if it cries a touch of the hand or foot will make the lightly-hung cradle rock for a time.

The Hungarian people have long been celebrated for the beauty and

WILD PATHOS OF THEIR FOLK SONGS.

In many of these national airs is noticeable the same plaintive undercurrent, the wailing minor key, and the same rising, long-drawn, upper note that is heard in Moore's Irish melodies. Like most national songs the two favorite themes are love and war. Sometimes the words are commonplace enough, and sometimes a pretty fancy gleams like a jewel in rough setting, but occasionally a lovely, tender thought is fitted to an air as sweet and touching as the thought itself, and then, as with all good and natural things, the effect is perfect. Juli Gonczy sang a few of these songs for me. The first was a love song, written when the troops were ordered to Bosnia; the air was pretty but the words poor; the idea was as follows:

> This train that now carries me
> To Bosnia will soon return to thee,
> And this same engineer that now
> Stops the train at Bosnia,
> Will stop it soon when I return
> To Bosnia and thee, my love.

This is a song addressed to his sweetheart by a soldier who is going to Bosnia. Much prettier was the next she sang, which recited a tale of two lovers who go for a walk together, and they walk so slowly, and they speak so softly, that when they come to a wheat field a Jack rabbit, sitting near the edge of the field, is not afraid, but sits up on his hind legs and looks at them. The lover sits down and asks his sweetheart to sit close beside him, and the rabbit pricks up his ears and looks at them. The girl sits down and her lover puts his arm round her waist. Blushing, she says not a word, and still the rabbit

PRICKS UP HIS EARS AND WATCHES;

but, drawing her to him, the young man places the kiss of betrothal on her sweet lips, and at that sound the rabbit springs away, startled. The last little love song was to my mind the prettiest of all, and it had a catching refrain.

> The [illegible] flies high,
> A[illegible] is sweet,
> And you are angry, my love,
> With me.
>
> But be not angry long, my love,
> For soon, my sweetheart, you will be mine
> And I will be yours
> Until the coffin lid
> Is screwed down on me.

In mentioning names, it will be seen that they are given in the ordinary way, first the Christian name, and then the surnames. But Hungarians always give the surname first and the Christian name last; for instance, Marie Kiss we would say, but they say "Kiss, Marie," and Juli Gonczy they call "Gonczy, Juli." S is pronounced like sh in English, ch like k. The musical composer whom we call Chopin they call "Kopin," and cz is pronounced like tz, as for example, Czerny, the celebrated writer of piano studies, is pronounced "Tzerny." The accordeon and a flute made by themselves are their musical instruments. The flute, made usually of willow, is in shape like the common tin whistle except that the lower end is closed. It is about a foot long and has six or seven holes, and in skilful hands can be made to produce a surprisingly good effect.

They are an hospitably inclined people and will share their last crust with a stranger, and make him kindly welcome to the best they have. Though excitable and impetuous they seldom quarrel.

Babies and very young children wear little cotton caps until they grow old enough to wear a handkerchief tied over their heads like their mothers. Infants do not have long clothes, but are fastened into a petticoat which is turned up over the feet, and then over this is placed a short dress, so that they look more like comical little bundles of clothes than babies.

These colonists come chiefly from the north of Hungary, from the Provinces of Saros (pronounced Sharos), Abauz (pronounced Abaooce), and some from Szabolcs (pronounced Sabolch).

They usually marry at a very early age, the men when only 21 or 22 and the women at 16 years of age.

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OUR CANNERIES.

Mr. Wilmot Talks to a Toronto Reporter – Waste at the Canneries.

Mr. Samuel Wilmot, Dominion superintendent of fish culture, returned to Ottawa on the 4th inst., from his trip to Westminster. In conversation with the Empire Mr. Wilmot said he had been away in an official capacity, but had obtained much pleasure and knowledge along with it also. He had confined his observations almost exclusively to the salmon industry, which, on the Pacific coast, had amazed him. He had conversed with a number of persons who were engaged in it and had been puzzled to know exactly what changes the canners desired the Government to make in the regulations. The canneries had been to him a wonderful sight. He had never in all his fishery experiences seen anything like them, but the waste which he had been compelled to witness had led him to believe that if something was not done to protect the fish and check the waste after the fish were caught salmon would become as scarce on the Pacific as they had become in the east.

He condemned the manner in the deposits of filth and offal were allowed to enter the river. He expressed surprise in view of the experiences elsewhere that the Pacific canners should wish to throw their offal into the water, thereby poisoning it, whereas this refuse might be profitably utilized in the production of fish oils and manure, in themselves sources of much profit. Though he was not speaking officially, he knew that the department desired to carry out, as far as practicable, the wishes of the canners and maintain this great source of wealth for the present and the future, and not unduly interfere with an industry in which so much capital was invested. But it was difficult to discover in the multitude of their counsels what was actually required. He realized, he repeated, the necessity of greater restriction as concerned the catch and much more economy in the methods of disposing of it.

A HAPPY EVENING.

Three Couple Married Last Evening.

Mr. A D. Whittier was married last evening at the residence of Rev. Coverdale Watson to Miss Amelia, the second daughter of F. Carne of the Angel hotel. The wedding was a very quiet one, a few friends and relatives being present. The bride was attended by her sister Miss Jennie Carne and the position of best man was filled by R. Tolmie. The steamer Kingston was boarded immediately after the ceremony and the happy couple left on their honeymoon trip to Portland.

The marriage of Robt. Barbour and Miss H. Sinclair took place last evening at 47 Kane street, Rev. P. McF. McLeod officiating.

Another happy event occurred last evening at the residence of Mr. Edward Lewis, 29 Pioneer street, the occasion being the marriage of Mr. Wm. Jenkins and Miss Edith Lewis. A number of guests gathered at the house to see the ceremony performed and to pass a few pleasant hours after the couple had been made one. Rev. C. Watson officiated, the bride was given away by her brother Mr. E. Lewis and the bride and groom were supported by Miss Cusack and Mr. J. Jenkins. A splendid supper was served and the presents were numerous and costly, a very handsome piano being among them. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins left this morning on their honeymoon trip carrying with them the best wishes of a host of friends.

A PLEASING PERFORMANCE.

H. M. S. Pinafore by the Seattle Amateur Opera Company.

The performance of H. M. S. Pinafore by the Seattle Amateur Opera Company last night was largely attended, and proved a success financially as well as from an artistic standpoint. The Seattle papers were loud in their praise of the amateur artists, who opened the new Madison street theater there last week, and well they might be, for the painstaking, self-forgetful, well-balanced company deserves it all. The stage setting was exceptionally good, the orchestra under the leadership of Prof. Sharpe was excellent, while the rendition of the choruses reflected great credit on those taking part as well as their instructor. Mr. Adderley had the stage management, in Seattle as well as here, and he left no detail unforgotten. Mrs. C. F. Treat, who sang the part of Little Buttercup, and Mrs. M. S. Story, as Josephine, were both excellent vocalists, and both received floral acknowledgments of the charming manner in which they performed their respective roles. A feature of the evening was the dancing of Mrs. Caskey, and the Misses Mabel Dell, Reynolds and Treat, four graceful and nimble young ladies, who won the heartiest encore of the evening.

Mr. M. B. Compton made a fairly amusing Sir Joseph Porter. Mr. J. Harry Middlebrook as Capt. Cocoran displayed an unusually fine baritone voice. Ralph Rackstraw the love-sick sailor, was seen in the person of Mr. R. G. O'Brien, who is endowed with a sweet clear tenor voice, which he uses with good judgment and fine effect. Taken as a whole the performance was above the usual standard of amateur theatricals, and it is to be hoped "our American cousins" will visit us again when they will have a longer time to see our fair city, and not simply hurry from boat to stage, and from stage to boat again as was the case last night. Below is given the full caste, among which are several names familiar to Victorians.

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Ralph Rockstaw (able seaman) .. R. G. O'Brien
Dick Deadeye (able seaman) .. Samuel Woodruff
Bill Bobstay (boatswain) .... W McAdam
Bob Becket (boatswain's mate) ..... W. I. Tolm
Tom Tucket (midshipmite) .. Master Collin Story
Josephine (the Captain's daughter) .... Mrs. M. S. Story
Hebe (Sir Joseph's 1st cousin) .. Miss Ruby Bray
First Lord's sisters and cousins by Misses Mabel Dell, Zula D[illegible], Selkirk, Reynolds, Allen, Snyder, Martyn, Elliott, F[illegible]chman, Hall, Mrs. Wise, Mrs. Samuel Casky.
Sailors by Messrs. Casky, S[illegible]eman, Kennedy, Kelly, Carroll, Penketh, Brooks, Gibbons, Waite, Mallandaine, Clark, Givans.

Stationery at Daley's.

Fire Drill.

The regular fire drill at the public school took place yesterday afternoon under the supervision of Chief Deasy, of fire department. Hereafter the drill will be held every Monday between 12 and 1 o'clock.

Successfully Launched.

W. P. Sayward's scow the Eliza was successfully launched from Clarke and Watson's ways this morning. She has been in the ship carpenters, hands for some time and has been thoroughly refitted and got ready for another long season's work of carrying lumber, logs, wood, etc.

Now Ready.

To-day there arrived the first consignment of fall goods for gentleman's clothing. They comprise a well selected stock of Scotch, French, and German goods in the latest patterns, and will be made up at reasonable figures, in a first class manner, by J. McCallum, 43 Fort street.

Trouble Ahead.

"There is trouble ahead," said Sergt. Walker, of the police force, this morning, as Ah Foo, one of the leading lights among the Chinese highbinders, walked into the police court. Foo is a well known merchant of Westminster, and has for a number of years taken an interesting part in all Chinese cases, and he has come down to watch the larceny case now pending.

Disposed Of.

The Dunsmuir lot on Yates street, just above Cook, which has given Sanitary Officer Bailey and the police so much trouble of late, has been disposed of, and will now be a nuisance no longer. The purchaser of the lot is Mr. John Cameron, the house dealer, who had it pumped out with the Deluge fire engine, and has commenced to fill it up.

Sanitary Needs.

The most confirmed mossback who ever cast a vote against city improvements, would be convinced of the need of sewerage if he crossed the new roadway under the E. & N. R. at low tide. A compound of villianous smells arise and assume almost palpable shape. The sights of reeking beds of sewerage matter at low tide, and the smell thereof, is a strong argument in favor of sewerage.

From China.

The C. P. R. steamship Sussex passed up to Vancouver at 8 o'clock this morning. She has a heavy freight and a number of passengers. She whistled for a pilot but being unable to get Capt. Urquhart she went up without one.

The steamer Mong Kutz, which is to take the Danube's place in carrying freight between Victoria and Vancouver, is expected at almost any time from China.

The Outer Wharf.

Contractor Sinclair is busier than ever at the new outer wharf, a number of extra men have been put to work and things are kept buzzing. Two steam drills are utlized blasting out rock for the sea wall and two divers are busy putting the sandstone facing on. The seawall is about half finished, but as the water is getting deeper as they go out a larger amount of stone will have to be used.

Carried on.

Among the Chinese passengers for this port by the steamer City of Rio de Janeiro were two who had fradulent certificates. Officer Frye refused them landing, but told them that by paying the $50 tax a landing could be made. The Chinese sent ashore and the cash was raised and sent off to them by a firm of Mongolian merchants, but it did not arrive until a few minutes previous to the sailing of the steamer. Capt. Austin would not wait, however, and the Chinese were taken on to 'Frisco. They will take the next steamer back to this port.

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Street Railway Notes.

The work of stringing the overhead wires on the Esquimalt extension will be gone on with in a few days, as soon as the overhead car con be put in condition.

Work on the car houses on Pembroke street is progressing fast and they will be completed in a couple of weeks more.

The Albion Iron Works are getting the new compound engines into shape, and in a few weeks the machinery will be placed in position.

When the Esquimalt line is in running order the track builders will probably turn their attention to the line to Beacon Hill park.

The Queen Pays All Expenses.

The "Queen's" last "Free Trip to Europe" having excited such universal interest, the publishers of that popular magazine offer another and $200 extra for expenses, to the person sending the largest list of English words constructed from letters contained in the words "British North America." Additional prizes, consisting of Silver Tea Sets, China Dinner Sets, Gold Watches, French Music Boxes, Portiere Curtains, Silk Dresses, Mantel Clocks, and many other useful and valuable articles will also be awarded in order of merit. A special prize of a Seal Skin Jacket to the lady, and a handsome Shetland Pony to the girl or boy (delivered free in Canada or United States), sending largest lists. Everyone sending a list of not less than twenty words will receive a present. Send four 3c. stamps for complete rules, illustrated catalogue of prizes, and sample number of the Queen.

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VICTORIA'S SEWERAGE.

A Few Facts Concerning the City's Consulting Engineer.

It may be asked by some ratepayers, [illegible] following will give a fair record of that gentleman's standing as a sanitary engineer.

Mr. Rudolph Hering, C. E., who has been chosen by the corporation as its consulting engineer on the subject of the proposed drainage system, is a civil engineer of some 25 years' eperience. He was born in the United States, and at the present time makes his home in Philadelphia, with offices in various parts of the United States. He granted as a civil engineer in the Polytechnic College of Dresden, Germany. He is a member of the Institute of Civil Engineers, London, of the American Society of Engineers, as well as of the Canadian Institute of the same profession. In 1880 he was commissioned by the United States Government to examine into the sewage works obtaining in Europe, upon which he made an exhaustive report. This was in the interest of the United States National Board of Health. Since then he has been called upon by a number of town and city municipalities to design works for sewage and water supply. Under Mayor Hewitt he made plans for New York city. Under Mayor Carter Harrison of Chicago, he enquired into and reported upon a water supply involving an additional expenditure of $25,000,000. He recommended sewage works for Providence at a cost of $4,000,000 and for Boston at an expense of $5,000,000. He was also consulting engineer of the Metropolitan Sewage Commission and society was called upon by President Harrison to investigate as to the sewage conditions of the city of Washington. For this he was chairman and had as his associates Messrs. Gray, C.E., of Providence, and Stearns, C.E., of Boston. He also made reports on a water works scheme for Toronto, which are now being carried; also for the city of St. Johns, Newfoundland. He has made plans and reports for some thirty different cities, among them Trenton, Duluth, Superior, Cleveland, Key West, Atlanta, Savannah, Oakland and Los Angeles. The works in question had ranged to cost from $50,000 to $1,000,000.

A FEW FACTS

For the Consideration of the Well-Wishers of Victoria.

The system of sewerage that is proposed to be carried out for Victoria has been amended and approved by Rudolph Hering, Esq., sanitary engineer, New York, a gentleman of great experience, and who is at the present time consulting engineer for twelve cities in the United States.

The ratepayers of this city will be asked to vote on Thursday next whether they are in favor of keeping their premises sweet and clean by a proper system of sewers, or allow them to remain in an undesirable condition as they are at present.

In entering into a contract or contracts for the construction of sewers throughout this city it is the intention of the council to incorporate conditions which will only admit of a small portion of a street being opened at a time.

It is a well established fact that it is much cheaper, much pleasanter and much healthier to keep a dwelling free from disagreeable matter by the aid of well appointed sewers than to attempt to accomplish the same necessary end by scavengers.

To show the ratepayers of Victoria that the council is anxious to have the sewerage works for the city carried on in an honest and straightforward manner, a by-law has been passed appointing three sewerage commissioners, viz., Hon. J. H. Turner, Thos. Earle, M. P., and John Teague, Esq., to generally examine the work performed and the material used, with power to reject the same, as well as to examine and pass the accounts and sign cheques for the payment of such accounts for instalments on contracts, said cheques to be countersigned by the mayor.

IN SAANICH DISTRICT.

Prof. Robertson Visits Farms and Lectures on Dairying.

Yesterday afternoon Prof. J. W. Robertson the Dominion dairy commissioner, accompanied by Mr. W. Dalby, president, and Mr. Renouf secretary of the British Columbia Agricultural Society, Mr. D. M. Gordon, M. P., Mr. D. M. Eberts, M. P. P., visited a number of the fine farms in the Saanich district, and examined the products. Mr. Robertson was particularly struck with the peaches and pears raised in this section of the country and took with him several fine specimens of the luscious fruit, which he declared equaled any raised in the Dominion. He was not aware that the country was so well adapted for bringing fruit to so high a degree of perfection.

The party were entertained at supper by Mr. Anderson, after which they repaired to the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society's hall where Prof. Robertson delivered an able lecture on Dairying and Farm products. A large audience composed of the Saanich farmers and their good ladies, listened attentively to the remarks of the lecturer, and gained much valuable information on various subjects appertaining to the proper management of farms.

Mr. Robertson's suggestions about the storage of fodder in silos, without the customary curing, will no doubt be largely adopted by his hearers. He claimed that much of the nutritious element of the food was preserved and the advantages of this system of storage in wet weather was very evident.

Mr. Sandover, president of the North and South Saanich Agricultural society, occupied the chair. At the close of Prof. Robertson's remarks, Mr. Anderson moved a vote of thanks to him for his useful, practical talk, which being seconded by Mr. Eberts, was unanimously adopted and the meeting adjourned.

The professor is now en route to Comox, where he will receive a cordial welcome from the settlers, who will no doubt profit much from his visit.

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Laying Corner Stone.

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From the Home of the Seal.

The sealing schooner Ocean Belle, Capt. H. F. Siewaid, arrived in harbor this morning from Behring sea. She left there on the 6th inst, making a good run down. A catch of 480 skins was secured in the sea. All hands aboard are well. The schooner Juanita was sighted on the 1st coming home.

False Alarms.

The fire bells rang out this afternoon, and the men turned out to find that the alarm was caused by the wire of the system being thrown against other ones by house moving. This sort of thing is getting to be too monotonous lately, and house movers should be made to be more careful.

Why It Is Defective.

It is said that the electric lamp at the corner of Wharf and Johnson streets, of which complaints have been made of late, has been thrown out of order by reason of heavy planks having been thrown against its pole by the workmen who constructed the roadway under the E. & N. R. track.

No Clearance Provided.

The human members of the dog show, or canine-equine paradox, as it is called, were back in the city to-day to get a clearance from the U. S. Consul of their goods and animals, that little formality having been omitted when they left here. The necessary papers being obtained, the show will now be able to enter Port Townsend.

Still Goes on.

Some time ago a lot of Chinese lottery players were brought before the police magistrate and fined. At the same time they were told that lotteries were illegal, and warned not to engage in the business any more. For a few days the business was stopped, but it is now in full blast again, and the tickets with the cabilistic marks can be purchased in any quantity.

Help the Society.

A deputation from the directors of the British Columbia Agricultural Society will call upon the citizens of Victoria in a few days for contributions to the funds of the society. They should meet with a generous reception. The exhibition will attract thousands of people to the city and our hotel-keepers, saloon-keepers and business men generally will derive the benefit.

Library Removed.

The free city library will not be reopened Saturday as previously announced. The carpenters are not sufficiently advanced with their work, and in consequence Mr. McGregor has been delayed in his labors of re-arranging the books on the shelves. This latter work is one of considerable magnitude, and will require a few days to complete properly. By the middle of next week the arrangements will no doubt be perfected and the doors thrown open to the public.

Prepare for Cold Weather.

Cold weather is coming and warmer clothing is quite necessary to preserve health, therefore you should act wise and save a dollar of two by having your last fall's overcoats and suits cleaned and repaired or dyed. Ladies' spring jackets can be dyed and made to look respectable for fall and winter. Bring them now to the Victoria Tailoring and Dying establishment, and avoid disappointment. No. 96 Yates street.

JNO. T. PIERRE, Proprietor.

N.B.—Another shipment of English trousering to hand.

To-morrow Night.

To-morrow evening the walls of the Victoria Theatre will no doubt ring with the merry laughter of a large audience, who will no doubt be present to see the Warspite minstrels, who are pronounced by those aboard the ship to be first class in every detail. The receipts of the performance will be handed over to the Protestant and Catholic Orphan Homes, and this fact should insure them a bumper house. The band of H.M.S. Warspite will be in attendance by the kind permission of Admiral Hotham, under whose patronage the affair is being given.

A Fatal Omission.

There is great indignation in Vancouver. A pamphlet was prepared by Mr. Goswell—who is an ex-member of the press, and whose ability to perform the work is undoubted—which was intended for general circulation abroad, in the interest of immigration. The pamphlet professed to be an accurate description of the province, and strange to say the city of Vancouver was not mentioned at all, excepting in the index—a finger-post pointing to no place. The funny part of the affair is that the city council of Vancouver paid $500 to assist in the publication. The omission, no doubt, can be explained; but in the meantime the World is hunting for scalps.

SALE OF WORK.

The Ladies Auxilliary Make a Success of Their Sale.

The announcement that the Ladies Diocesan Auxiliary would hold a sale of fancy work, drew a large number of ladies and gentlemen to the Sunday school room of Christ Church Cathedral to-day. Although not rushed the society did very well, a constant flow of visitors arriving and departing from 11 o'clock, the time it opened, until 5 o'clock. The fancy goods offered for sale were numerous, handsome and useful, and found ready buyers in ladies who are ever ready to make their homes attractive, a thing that the goods sold will readily do. The booths were attended to by Mrs. A. N. Richards, the president, Mrs. Beanlands, Mrs. T. J. Jones, Mrs. J. Grant, Mrs. C. Kent, Mrs. H. Kent and Mrs. Johnson, who were very attentive and succeeded in disposing of a number of articles. A number of business men and others went to the room between 12 and 2, when a splendid lunch was served by Mrs. Harvey and Mrs. Wilson. Both financially and otherwise the sale was a success, which is due to the perseverance of the ladies of the church.

The Water Works Picnic.

Judging by press reports, our city fathers evidently had a fine old time at Elk Lake the other day. It is not generally known whether they confined themselves to drinking lake water when they were toasting each other or not. Possibly not as it is said the water is not very pure. That is why mclennan and mcfeely are selling Cheavin's celebrated filters.

Got Left Again.

Yesterday the TIMES announced that two men had been left behind by the steamer Rio de Janeiro, which passed down to San Francisco from China on Sunday. One of the men seems to be having hard luck, as he missed the steamer Walla Walla which sailed for San Francisco to-day. He had made up his mind not to get left, but then he didn't get there in time, and as steamers won't wait for anybody he will have to stay over another five days, or else go down overland.

Police Court Notes.

Robt. Ward, J. P., occupied the bench at the police court this morning, and bound E. Brocci over to keep the peace for carrying a loaded revolver, and discharged Wm. Kelly, charged with threatening Jas. Morrison. The Chinese larceny case, to judge by the crowd of Mongolians in court, must be gaining interest in Chinatown. Only one witness was examined to-day, but it took him over four hours to have his say. The evidence went to show that the case had come out of the fight that took place last week.

Two Flags.

In reference to the report that Wm. Parker was to sue the owners of the schooner Walter L. Rich for $350, Mr. Wilson, counsel for the plaintiff, says that Parker was signed on the articles as a seal hunter on the Rich while that vessel was under the American flag. He had an advance given, and when the transfer of the flags was made, Parker refused to sign the new articles until signed clear from the old ones. The owners would not listen to this, however, and in consequence he did not go in the vessel on her northern trip. He makes the claim as stated for violation of contract, as the articles he signed could not be considered binding when the flag was changed.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Vancouver Island Building Society.

THE 45th DRAWING FOR an appropriation will be held in Harmony Hall, View street, on Wednesday, 24th September at 8 p.m. By order

B WILLIAMS,
Secretary.

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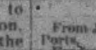

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A splendid assortment in all the new shades just received and on view to-day.
THE WHITE HOUSE.
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NOTICE.
THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE CARRIED on by S. C. Burris, late Keller and Burris potters, on the Constance Cove road, has been assumed by the British Columbia Pottery and Terra Cotta Company from Tuesday, the 9th inst., and will hereafter be conducted by the said company accordingly.
W. H. BAINBRIDGE,
se16-1w Secretary, pro-tem.

In the matter of Christopher Webb, Deceased Intestate
AND
In the matter of the Official Administrator's Act.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, the undersigned has been authorized to administer the personal estate of the late Christopher Webb.
Therefore all persons having claims against the said estate, and all persons indebted thereto are hereby required to send in such claims and pay such indebtedness to the undersigned.
WM. MONTEITH,
se16-1m Official Administrator.

North & South Saanich
Agricultural Association
WILL HOLD THEIR
22nd ANNUAL FAIR,
ON
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1890,
At the Association Grounds, South Saanich. Refreshments of all kinds can be had on the grounds.
GRAND BALL in the evening. Tickets $2.00
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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned till Tuesday noon, 23rd inst., for the erection of a brick building on Douglas street.
Plans and specifications can be seen at my office, Craft and Norris' Block, Douglas street.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
P. R. DONOVAN,
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DON'T DO IT!
DON'T dispute with your Wife, when she says Cameron's goods are the only ones to buy; because she knows what she's talking about.
DON'T argue with her when she says that Cameron's prices are money-savers. She talks like a sensible woman who knows what's what.
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DON'T expect your wife to meet you pleasantly, if you've gone to some other store than Cameron's, when she expressly told you to go nowhere else. Don't do any of these things if you expect to live long in the land and keep your hair on.
There's no Patent on it.
There's no patent on our method of doing business. Anybody can do as we are doing—Give the most and best for the money.
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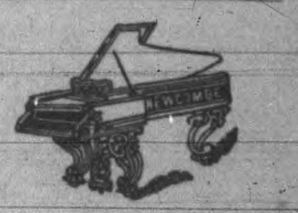

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